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4. Selection, Amorita	Cyfbulka
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LATEST EDITION

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The Obsequies of Ex-President Chester A. Arthur This Morning.

Vast Crowds Assemble at the Residence at an Early Hour.

President Cleveland and His Cabinet the Chief Mourners.

Members of the Dead Ex-President's Cabinet Act as Pall-Bearers—No Display of Pomp or Ceremony, No Military Music or Procession—A Simple Cortege to the Church—Solemn Services—A Detachment of Marines Does Duty Near the Church—The Silent Grief of the Silent Throng The Remains Removed by Train to Albany.

NEW YORK, November 22.—The last night of the loving watch beside the bier of Gen. Chester Allen Arthur, ex-President of the United States, has passed. The morning dawned brightly and the first rays of the rising sun stole quietly into the quiet avenue in front of his late residence. The closed shutters of the house and the black crape at the door were the only signs at that early hour that Death's sickle had been busy within. In the house, the family and friends of the ex-President were waiting in subdued grief for the hour when the remains of the loved father and friend were to be taken from their midst forever. Hundreds of sorrowing people began to gather at an early hour, anxious to testify by their presence the respect they bore to their fellow-citizen and former Chief Magistrate.

THE POLICE DETAIL.

Shortly after 7 o'clock Police Inspector Steers with Capt. Ryan and 125 police silently marched into Lexington avenue, followed by Capt. Garland and a picked body of thirty men from the Broadway squad. The police were posted along the avenue with directions to allow no vehicles to pass by the house. No people were allowed on the east side of the avenue from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth streets, except those who had tickets of admission to the house. Carriages began to arrive from every direction and soon the side streets were filled with them. By 8 o'clock a vast throng, numbering many thousands of people, had gathered on the opposite side of the avenue, extending for a block or more in every direction. The crowd was kept back by the police. On every face there was a deep expression of sorrow and people spoke only in low tones. President Cleveland and Postmaster-General Vilas arrived in a carriage direct from the train at 8:20 a. m., and entered the house of mourning. Many people uncovered their heads when the President stepped out of his carriage. Shortly after Gov. Hill and Judge Wm. Muller arrived and also alighted from their carriages and entered the house. They were followed by the Senate Committee. By this time there was a mighty throng of people on the avenue and the windows of every house were filled with sad faces.

NO DISPLAY.

There was no service at the house. The few friends present looked upon the face of the dead early in the morning and the casket was closed for the last time. The mourners waited in silent grief for the last moment. At 8:30 the black casket, covered with palmetto leaves, sprays of violets, and a wreath of white roses, was lifted by the undertakers and borne from the room. The silent form of Chester A. Arthur passed through the doors of his earthly tenement for the last time, and was reverently placed in the funereal-draped hearse. As the casket came in view of the people in the streets every head was bowed reverently and many eyes filled with tears in the throng thus hushed in the presence of death.

There was no display of pomp or ceremony, no military music or procession, but the mighty throng of sorrowing people bore witness to their love and respect for the deceased statesman.

THE MOURNERS.

Next came out of the residence Chester Allan Arthur, Jr., the son of the ex-President. Leaning on his arm, clad in garments of mourning, was his sister, Miss Nellie Arthur. They passed quietly to their carriage, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. McElroy. Then came Mrs. Caws, Mrs. Haynesworth and Miss Arthur, the sister of the ex-President; Postmaster Masten and his wife of Cohoes, N. Y., with their son and daughter; President Cleveland, Postmaster-General Vilas, Gen. Martin T. McMahon and John H. Draper, Secretaries Bayard, Whitney and Lamar; the pall-bearers, ex-Postmaster-General Gresham, ex-Secretaries Lincoln and Chandler, ex-Assistant Postmaster-General Hatton, ex-Attorney-General Brewster, Lieut.-Gen. Sheridan, Dr. Cornelius R. Agnew, Cornelius N. Bliss, Robert G. Dun, Gen. George H. Sharpe, Chas. L. Tiffany and Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chief Justice Waite and Justices Harlan and Blatchford, Senators Edmunds, Sherman, Logan, Evarts, Hawley, Morrill, Vest and Gorman, Gen. Stone and Gov. Hill. The mourners filled twenty-five carriages, but over one hundred carriages filled with friends who had been unable to gain admission to the house followed the procesion to the church. The procession passed between long lines of police through Lexington avenue to Thirty-fourth street, to Madison avenue, to Forty-seventh street, to Fifth avenue, arriving at the church corner of Forty-fifth street and Fifth avenue at 8:50 a. m. The carriages passed noiselessly by the lines of artillery men and the marines formed in line, and the mourners alighted and entered the church. All along the street were long lines of people, who waited in respectful silence while the funeral train passed.

THE CHURCH DECORATIONS.

The exterior of the church was elaborately decorated. The portico over the entrance and the massive pillars supporting it were covered with heavy black cloth draped in festoons, hiding the stone entirely from view. A crape-covered National flag hung in artistic folds over the door, caught up by rosettes and a small brass eagle. The walls of the vestibule were covered with black cloth arranged in plaited folds over which hung the National colors, covered with crape. The decorations of the interior were very simple and tasteful.

IN THE CHURCH.

The first six pews on each side of the center aisle were reserved for the family and pall bearers. They were covered with crape. The interior of the chancel was cushioned with black cloth, with the exception of the altar and reredos. On the altar proper, resting each side of the cross, were the lighted candles. Below was placed the purple altar cross and black drapings. The outer chancel, organ loft, stalls, lectern and pulpit were draped with black cloth. The baptismal font on the right side of the church in front of the stalls was filled with lilies, white chrysanthemums and ferns. On the center was placed a small palm tree, the branches of which drooped gracefully over the flowers. The sides of the font were covered with black cloth, over which hung long strings of smilax and maiden's hair ferns. From the front of the gallery in the rear of the church hung festoons of black cloth.

THE MOURNING POPULACE.

The hour set for the funeral was 9 o'clock, but at 7 o'clock a large number of people gathered in front of the church. At that time several workmen were engaged in putting the finishing touches on the drapery and placing labels in the pews designating where each organization would be stationed. A few minutes before 8 o'clock the doors were opened and those without were admitted. The ushers were stationed at the doors and showed the people to their seats. The ushers were Maj. G. D. Fassett, John H. Draper, Gen. Martin T. McMahon, Gen. Henry A. Barnum, Gen. Anson G. McCook and Erastus S. Ransom. The church has a seating capacity of 700, but there were nearly 900 present, a large number being compelled to stand. The arrangements for seating those present were as follows: The first three seats on each side of the center aisle, the members of the family and pall-bearers. Behind the pall-bearers on the left were the President and members of his Cabinet, ex-President Hayes, Judges of the Supreme Court, Senatorial Committee, House of Representatives Committee, Governor and staff, Mayor and Aldermen of New York, Mayor and Aldermen of Boston, Ancient and Honorable Artillery, Boston; Republican Central Committee.

On the right of the center aisle were the friends of the family and the diplomatic corps.

On the right side of the left aisle were seated the army and navy representatives, the rector, wardens and vestry and representative men On the left side of the right aisle were the representatives of the Union League Club, Chamber of Commerce, Stock Exchange, the Loyal Legion, Cotton Exchange, Produce Exchange and Maritime Association.

The last row of pews on the north and south side of the church were filled with friends and those who received invitations but did not come with the representatives of any association. At the portals of the church the casket was met by the surpliced choir, followed by the clergy, wearing their collegiate hoods.

THE OFFICIATING MINISTERS.

They were the Rev. Parker Morgan, pastor of the church; Rev. F. W. Babcock, assistant minister; Rev. Dr. Rainsford, rector of St. George; Rev. Dr. Leonard, rector of St. John's Church, Washington, D. C.; Rev. McKay Smith of St. Thomas; Rev. Dr. Humphreys, preceptor of the Cathedral Incarnate, Garden City, formerly assistant minister of the Church of the Heavenly Rest.

THE SERVICES.

As the casket was borne into the church the choir formed in two files and the clergymen passed between them, heading the procession, intoning the opening lines of the beautiful Episcopal burial service. The casket was borne up the aisle on the shoulders of the four undertaker's assistants, followed by the pall-bearers, the family and the immediate friends. When the procession reached the chancel the choristers filed into their stalls and the audience took their seats. The service began by singing part of the thirtieth and ninth Psalms, "Lord Let Me Know thy End," the congregation standing. Rev. Dr. Rainsford read the lesson from the fifteenth chapter of the First Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians, commencing with the words: "Now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the fruits of them that sleep."

CONCLUSION OF THE SERVICES.

The familiar hymn, "Nearer My God To Thee," was joined in by the large congregation. The Apostles' creed followed, and then the choir sang the sweet anthem, "I Heard a Voice From Heaven." Rev. Dr. Leonard offered prayer, and the congregation joined in singing "Art Thou Weary? Art Thou Languid?" Rev. Dr. Parker Morgan then prayed for the blessing of God upon the family, and that the grief of the children thus bereaved of their parent might be assuaged. The services were concluded with the benediction by Rev. Dr. Morgan. The choir then filed out of their stalls and began the recessional hymn, "Abide With Me." They marched down the nave and back by the south aisle to the vestry, followed by the clergy.

The casket rested at the head of the center aisle, directly in front of the chancel, on a heavily draped pier. On top of the casket, which was covered with black broadcloth trimmings, rested a mammoth cross of laurel leaves, having for its superstructure white roses and sheaves of wheat, chrysanthemums worked in at the bottom of the word "Finis," worked in purple flowers. The whole was covered with heavy crape, tied at the end with black satin ribbons. Before the casket was brought into the church, Organist J. R. Vanvliet played parts from Beethoven's "Funeral March," and after the services a fusilade from Mozart.

SCENES OUTSIDE.

After the services the undertaker's assistants lifted the casket on their shoulders and proceeded slowly out of the church, followed by the pall-bearers, the members of the family, the President and his Cabinet, Gov. Hill and his staff and the representatives of the Army and Navy. The coffin was not opened at the church, and considerable disappointment was expressed by a great many that Col. McMichael, the master of ceremonies, did not permit them to take a last look at the face of the dead ex-President. Meanwhile, the throng outside the church had greatly increased in numbers. The arrangement of police was made on an elaborate scale by Police Superintendent Murray in person. Over 1,200 men in full winter uniform lined the route and occupied positions where it was thought possible they might be useful. All travel on Madison avenue was suspended for over an hour, while the services were progressing, and the avenue was filled above and below the route with long lines of horse cars and vehicles of all kinds. During the services the guard of honor, consisting of six batteries from Governors' Island, the Marine Corps and sailors from the Brooklyn Navy Yard and the United States steamship Tennessee, were drawn up in line on the west side of Fifth avenue, facing the church the right of the line resting on Forty-fifth street. On each side of the church for two blocks, the police were formed to block the side streets and the avenue, in double file. When the funeral service ended the troops wheeled by companies into column, followed by the sailors and marines. After the casket was placed in the hearse the cortege, to the sorrowful dirge, "Chopin's Funeral March," passed slowly between the long lines of police through Forty-fifth street to Vanderbilt avenue. Crowds of spectators waited patiently on the sidewalks to witness the unostentatious display. As the cortege passed the immense throng silently bared their heads in respect and in token of grief.

TO ALBANY.

At the Grand Central Depot, the Chicago limited was ready to start when the sound of the muffled drums was heard, and the troops appeared marching in columns of four. They drew up in line facing the depot and presented arms. Gen. Henry A. Barnum was in charge of the arrangements at this point. Policemen were stationed throughout the depot to preserve order. It took but a few moments to transfer the coffin from the hearse to the funeral car, "Woodlawn." The family and friends then took seats in the three drawing-room coaches composing the special train. At 10:00 a. m. the train slowly pulled out and the journey to Albany was commenced.

At Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., November 22.—The train bearing the remains of ex-President Arthur reached Albany at 1:22 o'clock this afternoon. Owing to the fact that there was no public announcement of the time of arrival, no crowd gathered at the station. The remains were at once taken to the Rural Cemetery, where they were followed by the Common Council in a body, the Grant Club, and other delegations.

AT THE GRAVE.

At the grave the Rt. Rev. William Croswell Doane, Bishop of Albany, in the full robes of his office, stepped to the evergreen-lined grave, and taking some earth from that thrown up from the opening, dropped three handfulls on the oaken board of the outer box, reciting the beautiful committal service of the Episcopal Church. The Bishop offered prayer and pronounced the benediction. Earth was thrown in the grave and pressed down, and when the dusk of evening began to settle on forest and hill the deft hands covered the newly made mound with sheets of sod.

Federal Departments Closed.

WASHINGTON, November 22.—In accordance with the President's order, the Executive Departments are all closed to-day. Emblems of mourning were profusely exhibited on all of the public buildings and on hotels and other buildings of a semi-public character. Flags were displayed at half-mast as a token of respect for the memory of the dead ex-President. A salute of thirteen guns was fired at the Navy Yard at daybreak, and a solitary cannon boomed at intervals of half an hour throughout the day. At the Navy Yard and Barracks the men were paraded and the Presidential proclamation read to them, after which they were excused from active duty for the remainder of the day.

TROUBLE BREWING.

GERMANY'S SIGNIFICANT CENSURE OF RUSSIAN ACTION IN BULGARIA.

The Triple Alliance Regarded as Dead—Russian Subjects in Bulgaria Placed Under French Protection—A Hint from Bismarck—Under Secretary Hamilton's New Appointment—Great Loss of American Fishermen—Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, November 22.—The Trafalgar Square meeting yesterday passed off with perfect order. Indeed the immense square was not nearly so full, nor the people so conspicuously of the lower artisan class, as on the occasion of the famous meeting in February last. The truth about the artillery rumor turns out to be that the information was given to the press by a military officer, in the hope that its publication would prevent the assembling of a large mob.

THE BULGARIAN MUDDLE.

The news that Germany was practically refused to undertake the formal protection of Russian subjects in Bulgaria, and that the latter have, therefore, been placed under the charge of France is regarded as of the greatest importance. It fully corroborates the suspicion of the rapprochement of France and Russia, and goes to show that the triple alliance exists in fact no longer. At least Germany seems inclined to depart from her old motto with regard to Russia. viz.: that the nearest neighbors are the fastest friends.

Bulgaria.

A HINT TO RUSSIA.

LONDON, November 22.—It is asserted that Count Kalnoky's second decisive statement concerning the close nature of the Austro-German alliance was directly suggested by Prince Bismarck as a hint to Russia.

A SIGNIFICANT FACT.

The fact that the Russians in Bulgaria have been placed under French protection, is regarded in European capitals as signifying that the triple alliance is dead.

GERMANY CENSURES RUSSIA.

SOFIA, November 22.—Gen. Kaulbars, before leaving, asked the German Consul to protect Russian subjects. The Consul, after consulting his Government, replied that he was willing to protect genuine Russians, but not Montenegrins or Bulgarians. This implies Germany's censure of Russia's protection of the Zankoff and other conspirators. The Czar instructed Gen. Kaulbars to confide Russian subjects to the care of France.

GOT RUSSIAN PASSPORTS.

M. Karaveloff and M. Zankoff will soon leave Sofia. They have already obtained Russian passports.

FRENCH AND RUSSIAN SYMPATHY.

PARIS, November 22.—As the French transport Bienhoa was leaving Toulon to-day for Tonquin the crews of the several Russian vessels in the harbor manifested their sympathy with France by dipping their colors to the Bienhoa and cheering.

ORDERED TO ODESSA.

VIENNA, November 22.—All the Russian steamers on the Danube have been ordered to proceed to Odessa.

THE BUDGET COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

BUDA-PESTH, November 22.—The Budget Committee of the Austrian delegation, in making its report on the foreign estimates, alludes to what it calls "the universal disapproval of Gen. Kaulbars' arbitrary interference compared with the wise and moderate attitude of the Bulgarian regency. Referring to the speeches made by the Emperor Francis Joseph and Count Kalnoky, on Austria's foreign relations, the committee declares that "Austrians are ever ready to make any sacrifice when the honor of the monarchy has to be defended, but are grateful that they enjoy the blessings of peace." The committee further says it rejoices over Count Kalnoky's statement that in foreign affairs the confidence which Austria enjoys is fortified by the clear and unselfish policy of the Government, and that it is grateful that Austria's relations with Germany have been strengthened without affecting her friendly relations with Russia. Allusion is made to the accord and identity of the interests between England and Austria in many important points, and reference is made to the fact that Austria expects to reach an understanding with Italy, which will prove mutually advantageous and in the interest of peace. The committee applaudes and approves Count Kalnoky's efforts to amicably settle the questions pending with Russia and hopes they may succeed and expresses confidence that Count Kalnoky will possibly safe-guard the interests of the Montenegrins.

FACILITATING THE SOLUTION.

VIENNA, November 22.—Austrian diplomates and officials believe that the rupture between Russia and Bulgaria will facilitate the solution of the crisis in the Balkans. It is thought that the powers will disapprove of any precipitate action respecting the proposed election of Prince Nicholas of Mingrelia to the Bulgarian throne.

England.

UNDER-SECRETARY HAMILTON.

LONDON, November 22—The Standard, referring to the appointment of Sir Robert Hamilton to the Governorship of Tasmania, to which office is attached a salary double that which he received as Under-Secretary for Ireland, considers this a sign that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is weak and irresolute. The Chief Secretary, it says, should have dismissed Sir Robert before now.

THE AMERICAN MAILS.

LIVERPOOL, November 22.—The Council of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce to-day adopted resolutions denouncing the action of the Government in giving the carriage of the British mails to America to "subsidized foreign steamships." The new trans-Atlantic postal arrangement, which goes into operation December 1, gives the carriage of Thursdays' mails from Southampton to the North German Lloyds' steamers.

Ireland.

A DESPERATE FIGHT.

DUBLIN, November 22.—A fight occurred to-day between the police and a mob at Listowel, County Kerry. Some bailiffs seized a number of cattle in an action for rent and a mob of 400 men attacked the officers and attempted to rescue the cattle. A fight ensued. The police went to the assistance of the bailiffs and with battons and bayonets succeeded eventually in dispersing the mob, after wounding several of its members.

France.

MERLATTI, THE FASTER.

PARIS, November 22.—The Italian faster, Merlatti, is still vivacious, but he suffers from pain in the stomach and has terrible dreams at night. He has decided not to repeat the experiment even if he succeeds in accomplishing his task.

Germany.

OFFICIALLY DENIED.

BERLIN, November 22.—The report that Gen. Bronsart von Schellendorf had resigned the office of Prussian War Minister is denied.

The Dominion.

THE FISHERY LOSSES.

OTTAWA, Ontario, November 22.—Reports coming in from Gloucester and other New England fishing ports from the agents of the Dominion Government continue to show the great loss American fishermen have suffered through the abrogation of the fishery clause in the Washington treaty and the consequent privileges American fishermen have forfeited. It was generally supposed that the heavy duty imposed on all Canadian fish imported into the United States would practically close that market against the Dominion. Such your correspondent was informed to-day has not been the case. The total value of the exports of fish from Canada for the nine months ending September 30 was $4,640,000, against $5,200,000 during the corresponding period in 1885. This only shows a shrinkage of 10 per cent on the total export, notwithstanding the barrier raised in the United States markets against Canadian-caught fish. Several members of the Dominion Government have expressed themselves greatly pleased with the result of this year's fishing, believing that it will have the effect of bringing the United States Government to time in negotiating a treaty of some sort when they begin to realize how heavily the American fishermen have lost by the abrogation of the old treaty.

MURDERED HIS UNCLE.

WINNIPEG, November 22.—Two half-breeds, Pierre Larocques and his uncle, Basil Richard, met at St. Vital last night and during an angry discussion, resulting from an old family quarrel, Larocques shot Richard dead with a shotgun. The murderer was arrested while asleep in his house, and will be tried at the Assizes, now being held here.

DIAMONDS FLASHING.

A Gorgeous Display at the Eugene Jaccard Jewelry Establishment.

Great crowds have been thronging the establishment of the Eugene Jaccard Jewelry Company all day in expectation of the splendid openings to be given to-night and to-morrow night. But large as was the attendance to-day, it will be as nothing compared with the scene which will greet the visitor to-night. The jewelled globes of the electric light have never shed their radiance over a more perfect Arabian night scene than the handsome department of this well-known establishment will present this evening. Upon the lower floor with its artistically draped mantels, filled with rare bric-a-brac and bronzes, one pauses, not knowing whether to expend their admiration entirely upon these lares and penates of the modern artistic home, or to study the novelties in jewels and silverware, than which a finer collection can not be found in the whole of St. Louis. Ascending the handsome mahogany stairway leading to the art rooms above, a scene of beauty bursts in upon the art-loving vision, and one realizes that a whole week might be spent with profit and pleasure among this rare collection sought from the most celebrated artisans of the old world. The new Polychrome and Barbodien bronzes have superseded the bisque craze, and well they might in their classic, substantial grandeur. An ideal Spanish Senorita is portrayed to perfection in this lasting substance, and the very meshes are visible in the lace veil drawn over the shapely head and shoulders, an ebony pedestal forming a befitting pinnacle for so much beauty. "The Messenger," another creation in bronze, is so true to life that the Turkish garb of soft oriental crash looks as though one might take hold of it as it clings about the dismounted Bedouin.

To enumerate each article of merit and beauty would require boundless time and space. But from a limited observation the POST-DISPATCH representative is ready to proclaim in advance a brilliant success for the grand opening receptions to be held this evening and to-morrow evening by the E. Jaccard Jewelry Co., and also to assure the responding guests that they will find in each department a complete and beautiful line of articles from a silver thimble to a diamond ring; a hyacinth vase to the most imposing royal Worcester, of such workmanship as would inspire with covetousness the most exacting connoisseur; and last, though not least, the best and cheapest silk umbrellas with unique gold or rustic handles, both for ladies and gentlemen, to say nothing of the wrought brass and massive bronze umbrella stands to accompany, without which the modern hall is lamentably incomplete.

The following musical programme will be rendered by Spiering's band, and a beautiful souvenir, consisting of a parchment-bound book of favorite poems and quotations from favorite dramatic scenes, will be given to each visitor. A bouquet of natural flowers will be presented to each lady who, while listening to the sweetest operatic airs of the day, must find an additional charm and harmony existing throughout this beautifully arranged establishment. The musical programmes are as follows:

THIS EVENING.

1.	"Coronation March"	Kretchmer
2.	Overture	Reissiger
3.	Waltz—"Yelva"	Strauss
4.	Selection—"Student's Dreams"	Gounod
5.	Polka—"Faust"	Koppitz
6.	Selection—"Partridge"	Bizet
7.	Pizzicato polka and Valse Lento—"Carmen"	Delibes
8.	Selection—From the ballet Sylvia	Jacobowsky
9.	Hungarian Dances—"Erminie"	Brahms
10.	Waltz—"Gipsy Baron"	Strauss

TO-MORROW EVENING.

1.	March	Richter
2.	Overture—"Knight Templar"	Suppe
3.	Waltz—"Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna"	Crowe
4.	Selection—"The Little Sailors"	Strauss
5.	Gavotte—"Gypsy Baron"	Jacobowsky
6.	Selection—"Erminie"	Millocker
7.	Polka Capriccio—"Black Hussar"	Weigand
8.	Selection—"Cornet Solo"	Czibulka
9.	"La Tourturelle"	Amoritar Eilenberg
10.	"Spanish Dances"	Moszkowsky

THE STATE CAPITAL.

Labor Commissioner Kochtitzky's Report of the Southwestern Railroad Strike.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., November 22.—Beals Building Company, Kansas City, capital $120,000; the McAlister Lumber Company, Columbia, Boone County, capital $16,000, and the Nedderhut Packing and Provision Company, St. Louis, capital $50,000, each filed articles to-day.

Representative E. A. Donelan of St. Joseph is in the city. Dr. Donelan has served five terms in the Missouri Legislature and will be a candidate for Speaker of the House.

Labor Commissioner Kochtitzky is preparing for his forthcoming annual report a full and complete history of the great strike on the Gould Southwest system, its causes, progress, consequences and results, which will be of great value to those interested in labor questions. The report is understood to be absolutely unbiased and impartial.

Marshal Wood Noland of the Supreme Court left this morning on official business for Carrollton, Mo.

The death of Ex-Gov. Phelps is greatly lamented by his numerous friends in the city. Flags are floating at half-mast to-day from the national and State buildings in respect to the memory of ex-President Arthur and ex-Gov. Phelps.

D. R. WOODALL, Pisgah, Ala., writes: My wife suffered from Bronchitis for over three years before she commenced using Dr. J. H. McLean's Tar Wine Lung Balm, which has, I am happy to say, effected a complete cure.

New Warrants.

A warrant was issued to-day charging Ephraim Houston with keeping a craps house.

John Welch is accused of stealing five pairs of gloves from E. Silberman of No. 6 South Levee.

Neal Bryant charges Henry Wedig with the larceny of $10.

James Conway is accused of assaulting E. Higgins.

J. C. Brown accuses Mike Martin, William Thyan and George Higgins with stealing $1 from him.

Dominick Fruhman is charged with assaulting James Algeo.

Charles Dossen, a boy, gave bond to answer to a charge of maliciously breaking a window in the Eliot School, Fifteenth and Walnut streets, by throwing a stone through it.

Dan McAuliffe is accused of stealing two turkeys from Emile Zerr.

The Presidents, Cashiers and Employes

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Phocion Howard's Injunction.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPRINGFIELD, November 22.—In the Sangamon County Circuit Court this mornings Judge Creighton dismissed the bill for an injunction brought by Phocion Howard against the State officers to enjoin them from canvassing the vote on the convict labor amendment. No opinion was delivered, but it was considered that the bill was premature and that no danger could come to any citizen from merely canvassing the ballot.

A Big Concern.

NEW YORK, November 22.—A meeting of the South Pittsburg Railway & Iron Company was held to-day to complete the purchase of 2,700 acres of land in the northwestern part of Alabama. The company is to issue stock and bonds of $1,000,000 each and begin the erection of furnaces at once.

Caught in a Belt.

While at work in a stove-works at Ninth and Dock streets to-day, Henry Althoff was caught in a belt and badly bruised. His right leg was broken and his body badly discolored by the pressure of the belt. It is thought that he sustained serious internal injuries.

FIRE THE GANG.

ADVICE TO THE PRESIDENT REGARDING THE DISTRICT CONSPIRATORS.

Collector Bissel Has a Chat with the President About the District of Columbia Scandal—Ex-Printer Rounds' Modest Request—District Attorney Stone's Appeal—Sunset Cox's Congressional Back Salary—Washington News.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—Herbert Bissel, Collector of the Port at Buffalo, and brother of W. S. Bissel, the President's former law partner, was a caller at the White House Saturday, in company with other Buffalo friends. Mr. Bissel, as a friend, advised Mr. Cleveland to dispose of his country place at the first opportunity. Mr. Bissel said that he voiced the sentiment of the President's many friends in Western New York, with whom the belief was general, that for the President to continue as the owner of the place, would imply that he has been the victim of the real estate sharks who sought to grow rich at the expense of the good name and generous heart of the President. Mr. Bissel also advised that immediate steps be taken to rehabilitate the entire District Government. If new officers were appointed, he said, it would redound to the President's credit and win praise from his friends in particular and the public in general. It was not long after Mr. Bissel's departure before Mr. Cleveland sent for Marshal Wilson and had a somewhat extended conversation with him.

English's Revolt.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—A gentleman just returned from Indiana makes the statement that Wm. H. English will lead a revolt in that State against the President on his administration, and will be a candidate for the Senatorship on that issue. His paper, the Indianapolis Sentinel, has already begun to mold sentiment in opposition to the Administration. "It is true," continued the speaker, "that Mr. English is a candidate and will give Mr. McDonald a spirited race for the honor. Since the election his paper had been silent upon the subject of the successor of Senator Harrison. Mr. McDonald's name has scarcely been mentioned in its columns, which must carry to the minds of its readers that the ex-Senator is not his choice. Mr. English is conducting his campaign quietly, though at work creating an anti-McDonald sentiment throughout the State, while Mr. McDonald, next to Snator Voorhees, is the most ardent supporter of the President and his policy. English hopes to secure, with the aid of Gov. Gray, the support of the anti-Cleveland members of the Legislature. McDonald is laboring under difficulties, in the face of the fact that he is not a good canvasser when he is a candidate. With English it is different, and besides, to oppose the President since the election has become popular, and upon this issue the latter has placed his fate. I believe he will name the Senator if he cannot be elected himself."

Mr. Corcoran's Kindness.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—One of the nuns in the Convent of the Visitation on Connecticut avenue is an old friend of Mr. Corcoran, the millionaire and philanthropist, and frequently he goes to see her. Not long ago when he went there he noticed the absence of a hand rail on the sides of the stone steps outside the front entrance and told the Mother Superior that she must order a hand railing and send the bill to him. Now the steps have no need of the balustrade. Mr. Corcoran was very anxious that the nuns of the Visitation Convent could see a new picture in the art gallery, and when they said in reply to his expressed desire that they might see the picture, "That is impossible; we are cloistered nuns, and never go outside our convent," Mr. Corcoran answered that he would go to Baltimore to see the archbishop, and if he could get his consent to the sisters going to the art gallery, he would have it closed to all other visitors on the day when they go to see it.

Mr. Rounds' Modest Request.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, November 22.—About the time that ex-Public Printer Rounds went out of office, he was given a number of valuable presents. Among the articles was a handsoms Swiss clock valued at $300. This, with the other articles, was shipped by express to Omaha, Mr. Rounds' new home. Upon its delivery to the ex-printer it was found to be broken. To place the clock in good working order, according to an Omaha jeweler's estimate, it would cost about $33. Yesterday a letter was received from Mr. Rounds by a member of the committee who had contributed to the purchase, asking that the $33 be raised with which to pay for the necessary repairs.

The National Drill.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—A movement which is finding favor with business men has been started in the city by some prominent railroad officials to have in connection with the National Drill in next May a reproduction of the Mardi Gras Carnival and Pageant. While as yet the idea is only vaguely outlined, it is proposed to make "war" the theme for the illustrations, and to represent all the great and decisive struggles that have affected the destiny of the world since Cain and Abel first indulged in the sanguinary amusement. The success of similar undertakings in St. Louis, Baltimore, Cincinnati and other cities encourages the promoters of the scheme to expect larger results.

The House Appropriations Committee.

WASHINGTON, November 22.—The Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives met to-day, pursuant to the call of its chairman, Mr. Randall, and assigned the appropriation bills to the same sub-committees, respectively, which had them in charge last session. The sub-committee on the sundry civil bill, the members of which had the estimates already before them, held a meeting and made good progress with their work. The sub-committee on the legislative bill will meet to-morrow at 11 a. m., and that on the District of Columbia bill on Wednesday at the same hour.

"Me Too?"

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—U. S. District Attorney Stone of Pennsylvania has written a letter to the President asking to be reinstated in his position. He denies that because he made political speeches during the recent campaign the duties of his office were neglected. Mr. Stone, it will be remembered, was suspended from office along with United States District Attorney Benton of Missouri and he asks to be reinstated on the same grounds that Benton was. Mr. Stone's letter will not be made public, but the President has prepared an answer.

Sunset Cox's Back Pay.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—First Comptroller Durham said yesterday that while he had not decided the question he was of the opinion that S. S. Cox was entitled to compensation as a member of Congress from the time that the salary of his predecessor ceased. This, notwithstanding the fact that he has already received compensation as United States Minister at Constantinople during the same period. If this stands Mr. Cox will receive $3,000 Congressional back pay.

Edgerton on Indiana.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—"I know as much about Indiana as Joe McDonald does, and I know more about him than he does about himself," said Civil Service Commissioner Edgerton, "and I know that if there is any lesson to be learned from the late elections in Indiana it is that the opponents of civil-service reform had a hard time. Dan Voorhees and Joe McDonald will, by opposing our reform, turn the State over to the Republicans for all time to come. They are no good."

American Opera.

The sale of tickets for the American Opera to-day at the Exposition was very satisfactory, [illegible] tickets having been sold up to 2 o'clock. This amount far exceeds that of last season for the same day, when but little over $1,000 was taken in.

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BASE BALL.

Meeting of the American Association To-Day at Cincinnati.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CINCINNATI, November 22.—The American Base Ball Association is holding a special meeting here to-day to take some action upon the withdrawal of the Pittsburg Club from the Association. There are present representatives from Louisville, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, New York, St. Louis and Cincinnati, with President Wikoff in the chair. Messrs. E. E. Menges and David Rowe are here from Kansas City, P. J. Walsh and William Bromwell from Cleveland and Mr. Watkins from Detroit. From these three points it is expected the Association will choose a successor to the Pittsburg Club. The session is with closed doors.

The following is a full list of the members present: President Wikoff, Columbus; Zack Phelps, Louisville; Wm. Y. Barnie and W. R. Vanderhorst, Baltimore; Wm. Shersky, C. E. Mason, Philadelphia; C. H. Byrne and F. A. Abell, Brooklyn; W. E. Watrous, New York; Chris Von der Ahe and Harry Welden, St. Louis; A. A. Stern and S. Y. Houck, Cincinnati. Outsiders are: E. E. Menges, Dave Rowe, Kansas City; P. Y. Walsh, James Williams, Columbus; Wm. Bromwell, Cleveland; Watkins, Detroit.

The Cleveland Club and the Kansas City Club, this forenoon each made a formal application for membership; the Cleveland delegates, Messrs. William and Brownell, were heard first. They stated that their club had the backing of abundant capital, would have ample funds and would be able to take care of themselves. Their representations were very satisfactory and the delegates were dismissed. Action on their application will be had later on. The Kansas City delegates requested time to prepare a written statement and were granted it. They will present their statement this afternoon or evening. The Detroit Club, represented by Manager Watkins and Mr. Gray, their attorney, have not yet made a formal action. They are using strategy with the League to see if it will weaken. The Association has agreed to consider a bona fide application of the Detroit Club should it make one.

It is likely it will come and knock for admission about 4 or 5 o'clock this afternoon, for it is evident that it is not in the best humor with the League.

It Takes Just Such Weather

as prevails here in the Fall to show the weakness and worthlessness of the old-fashioned porous plasters. None but Benson's promptly relieve and cure coughs, colds, and all effects of exposure. Refuse imitations. Ask for Benson's.

THE PHELPS FUNERAL.

The Obsequies to Be Held at Christ Church Friday Afternoon.

Ex-Senator Armstrong, Judge Treat and Gen. John E. Phelps, son of the dead Governor, were in consultation this morning regarding the final funeral arrangements of the late ex-Gov. Phelps. In the absence of the deceased's law partner, who was called back to Springfield suddenly this morning, ex-Senator Armstrong is superintending some of the details. As Mrs. Jas. B. Montgomery, the daughter, will not arrive in St. Louis from Portland, Ore, till Wednesday night or Thursday, it has been deemed best to defer the funeral in order to give the lady who is traveling 3,000 miles to attend her father's obsequies an opportunity to recuperate from the effects of the long journey. Consequently the funeral in St. Louis will not be held until Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when it will take place in Christ Episcopal Church, of which Rev. Montgomery Schuyler, D. D., is rector. The remains will be borne directly from Christ Church to the depot and thence to Springfield where the final funeral services will be held Saturday morning in the Episcopal Church. This afternoon ex-Senator Armstrong and Judge Hough are in consultation with Mayor Francis regarding the St. Louis delegation which is to accompany the casket to Springfield.

The remains having been embalmed will lie in the undertaking rooms of Smithers & Waggoner until the funeral, and may be visited in the interim by the friends of the deceased. Gen. Phelps expressed the highest appreciation of the kindness of the Sisters of the Mullanphy Hospital to his father in his last illness.

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WITH AX AND REVOLVER.

How an Irate Woman Tackled Her Husband in a Fight.

Eugene Brown, colored, living at No. 207 Gratiot street, was before Judge Cady this morning on a charge of disturbing the peace of his wife, Clara Brown. She asked him for some money Saturday night and he picked up a poker and struck her over the head with it, rendering it necessary for her to take a trip to the City Dispensary and have her injury dressed. Gene said this morning that his wife is in the habit of running about town at nights and keeping very bad hours. Saturday night she came at him with an ax and loaded revolver and he struck her with a poker in self-defense.

"She came at you with both ax and revolver, and yet you live," said City Attorney Dyer. Judge Cady fined Gene $15.

To-Morrow at the Globe.

5,000 pairs men's union cassimere pants at 95 cents; 2,000 pairs men's fine worsted and cassimere pants, sold elsewhere for $5, at $2.50 and $3.50 at the

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

Carondelet Jottings.

The German Dramatic Club gave the first performance of the season last night at St. Boniface Hall.

For pasting notices on telegraph poles L. E. Wells received a fine of $5 and costs from Police Justice Von Gerichten. The fine was remitted on the payment of costs.

The opening of the new Germania Music Hall last Saturday evening by a ball was a marked success, there being in the neighborhood of 100 couples participating.

May Flower Lodge No. 39, National American Association, surrendered its charter and disbanded last Saturday evening. As the lodge was reported in good circumstances and composed of a number of young business men here, the surrender created some excitement.

Reports from Tenbroeck, Jefferson County, about ten miles below Carondelet, say that the wife of William Richardson, a well-to-do farmer, committed suicide by drowning herself in the Meramec River early Saturday morning. The cause of the deed is supposed to be insanity. The body has not been recovered.

Owing to a defect in a rail on the Kirkwood branch road, a serious accident occurred last night in the neighborhood of Tesson and Eighth streets. The 6 o'clock freight from Kirkwood was pulling into Carondelet, and at the intersection of those streets the rails spread throwing several cars filled with grain and merchandise over on their sides and doing considerable damage in demolishing several cars.

ALL people who use a stove or range should see the cooking at 411 North Fourth street, with Filley's wire gauze oven door.

THE FEDERAL COURTS.

Jurors to Try the Election Fraud Cases—Surrender of Hooper, the Illicit Distiller.

The United States District Court did not meet until after 2 o'clock to-day as a mark of respect to the memory of ex-President Arthur, whose funeral took place this morning. District Attorney Bliss presented a written request from the Department at Washington, D. C., for Federal Court prisonors to be sentenced to terms of imprisonment in the State Penitentiary at Jefferson. Hitherto prisoners have been sent to Chester as well as to Jefferson City, the former institution being preferred by convicts. The Grand-jury reassembled this afternoon, and proceeded with the remaining business on hand, which consists chiefly of the election fraud cases.

The petit jury panel summoned for attendance to-morrow is composed as follows: C. P. Burr, John W. Loader, James E. Blythe, George A. Baker, F. G. Cochran, E. L. Dessenbach, J. Cantwell, C. H. Tyler, John A. Beck, A. Mansur, Geo. H. Holland, Thos. E. Wharton, L. B. Ripley, Thos. G. Doane, J. Cornelius, Daniel E. Garrison, S. P. Bantz, St. Louis; Geo. L. Hardy, Ralls County; L. D. Mitchell, Lewis County; Geo. W. Gregory, Montgomery County; R. R. Carver, Pike County; F. H. Williams, Cape Girardeau County; S. G. Fairbrother, Clarke County; Martin Taylor, Knox County; W. M. Campbell, Scott County; T. W. Lewis, Lincoln County; Chas. B. Wood, Franklin County; I. F. Schaberg, St. Louis County; P. B. Bloomer, Marion County; Jason W. Powell, Scotland County; Julius Knorpp, Jefferson County; Wm. R. Ramsey, Washington County; Jackson Williams, St. Francois County; H. F. Williams, Washington County; T. E. Roussin, Madison County; S. M. Newton, Lewis County.

Surrender of Hooper.

Enos Hooper of Carter County, an illicit distiller, who has kept himself concealed from the revenue officers and the deputy marshals, and who made a determined resistance to arrest a short time since, threatening a wholesale slaughter of the Government officers, quietly surrendered yesterday to United States Deputy-Marshal Wheeler and was brought to town to-day for the action of the Grand-jury now in session. Hooper is in very bad health and has kept away from his home for months fearing that he would fall into the hands of the officers. He has moved from place to place in disguise until his arrest came almost as a relief from the discomforts and privations of the advancing cold and wet season. He will be indicted at once and committed to jail. He is supposed to have led the band of moonshiners in Southeast Missouri and it is believed that the illicit distilling operations in that section are now entirely broken up.

An Assignment.

An assignment for the benefit of creditors was made to-day by Solomon Goldberg to M. M. Myers. The value of the assets, consisting of a general stock of boots and shoes, clothing, dry goods, etc., is placed at $1,000.

Matters in Court.

The following judgments were rendered to-day in the Circuit Court: Bittner Bros. vs. John Russell and Michael McHenry, judgment for plaintiff for $53.25; T. J. Perry vs. Timothy Pendergast et al., judgment for plaintiff for $339.

The following cases were dismissed to-day in the Circuit Court: Ertel vs. Boehm; Helena Edmonstone et al. vs. Hill.

The Public Administrator has taken charge of the estate of Ola Nelson.

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THE NEW LIBRARY BUILDING.

The Original Plan Changed by the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors of the Mercantile Library have been working vigorously on their plan for a new building for the library. The original plan as before published, was to furnish certificates enlisting subscribers to life memberships in the library association. In this plan the limit of the amount to be raised by subscription was $150,000, the list to be completed by January 1, 1887. The intention was to erect a handsome office building. This plan has been changed and the gentlemen having the matter in charge have been busily engaged in having the subscriptions renewed under the new plan. So many office buildings have been erected and are now in course of erection that it was thought advisable to change the character of the structure to commercial purposes and in place of the uncertain emoluments arising from the rent of offices to secure a more reliable income by means of leases of the parts of the building outside of the library proper to business houses. The cost of this class of structure will not be so great as the other and the limit is placed at $100,000. This sum has already been secured—the subscriptions already reaching over the amount. No difficulty has been met in effecting the change. The plans are not yet definitely decided upon nor have the architects been asked to bid on the designs or contracts, but the new building will be so constructed as to secure for the valuable books and property of the library the most perfect safety possible. The building will be fully as ornamental and substantial as was contemplated by the original plan. Its height will be five or six stories. Within a week or two the board expects to have completed all the details of the plan and to be ready to push the building to completion.

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THE FIENDISH TRAMP.

Mrs. S. M. Robinson, the Authoress, Criminally Assaulted and Robbed.

NEW YORK, November 22.—A ruffian yesterday morning burst open the door of the cottage of Mrs. S. M. Robinson, the authoress, who lives at Harrison, N. Y. The poor lady being alone in the house attempted to escape by jumping through a window. Although severely cut by the glass she at once started across the fields to a neighbor's farmhouse, but when only a hundred yards from the house she was overtaken by the scoundrel who, after outraging his victim, carried her back to the house and locked her in a closet. He then robbed the house and made his escape. Parties are scouring the woods in search of him, and should he be caught he will undoubtedly be shipped by the cable road to the next world.

Receiver's Sale of Engravings, Etc.

Great bargains in engravings, etchings, etc., at Redheffer & Koch's, 1000 Olive street.

A DESTRUCTIVE GALE.

Many Lake Vessels Missing—Narrow Escape of a Crew.

MILWAUKEE, November 22.—A heavy southeasterly gale accompanied by rain has been raging all morning. A large number of vessels are missing since daylight. The schooner Belle Walbridge, laden with lumber, went ashore at Sheboygan this morning. Her crew escaped on the Government pier. The steam barge Carter arrived off this port at noon, having in tow the steam barge Colin Campbell, which had become disabled in machinery. The Carter came inside, and a tug went out and towed the Campbell in. The disabled barge rolled out her mainmast while wallowing about in the water.

C. E. BLELL MILLINERY CO., 419 N. Broadway, have on sale this week something new and attractive in the way of Ladies' hats and bonnets, [illegible]

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If you want Leather Albums, Leatherette Albums, Plush Albums, Floral Albums, Scrap Albums, Autograph Albums, Postage Stamp Albums, Satchels, Hand Bags, Pocket-Books, Portfolios, Music Rolls, Music Binders, Pocket Photo. Cases, Card Cases, Bill Books, Cigar Cases, or anything in the Album or Leather Goods line, go to the

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A HAPPY OCCASION.

"Do not come too late." That was the wording of the telegram which Capt. Richard Irton held in his hand as he sat in a temperature of 109 deg. in the shade on the veranda of his Indian bungalow.

"Do not come too late," he muttered to himself. By Jove, as if it were probable that he would dawdle now! It was just like Mrs. Lennox to send such a chaffing wire as this. He might have been a long time making up his mind, but it was made up now, and he meant to go home and marry her. It was her last letter that had settled the matter—the letter in which she hinted that Lord Shorthorn was awfully "mashed." No, he wasn't going to stand by and see Dorothy Lennox married to a cad like Shorthorn. He had been a whole year, he reminded himself, in this infernal station, with its furnace heat, its inane gossip, and its eternal tennis and polo. How he loathed the very sight of his Major's wife, with her white eyelashes, her malicious giggle, and her flirting manners!

And then he thought of Mrs. Lennox. He remembered the first night he had met her—in the ball-room of a great house in London—and how he had seen her surrounded by a dozen other fellows, and how he had "made the running," and had cut out all these outsiders. And he recollected the call he had paid next day at her tiny house in Park street, when she had been so sweet and graceful, and had talked to him as no other woman had ever talked before. He didn't go in for brains or any of that rot, but, by Jove! Dorothy Lennox made him feel another fellow. He thought of the cool, amber-tinted room where she always sat, with its drooping palms, its masses of azaleas, its Rajon etchings and its blue-and-white Nankin. It was always cool and cosy in Mrs. Lennox's house, and she had a way of taking a fellow's hand and looking him seriously in the eyes, which was quite irresistible. He remembered how it had become almost a habit to drop in of an afternoon, to lounge on her soft divan and listen to her half-chaffing talk and her low delicious laugh. And when a woman is deuced good-looking, as well as clever, why, what is a fellow to do? Perhaps it was wrong to make love in quite such a serious way as he did, but hang it! she wasn't a kitten, and she might have known he wasn't the marrying sort.

All that was a year ago, but he hadn't forgotten her a bit—worse luck. And her letters—how awfully nice they were? how like herself! Not spoony, like those he wrote to her; but frank, humorous, and thoroughly bon camarade. Hang it all! it was much easier to keep heart-whole in London than in this sultry and monotonous hole. He had managed to evade compromising himself definitely even when he had gone to bid Mrs. Lennox good-by, although he had been perilously near proposing to her that last evening; but he had got away, and nothing had been said which would have tied him down to an engagement.

Dick, in his roving life, had committed every folly except that which he considered the hugest folly of all—the folly of tying yourself to one woman for life. He remembered how he had congratulated himself on all this when he went on board the Jumna. Was he, the best looking fellow and keenest sportsman in the 150th Hussars, to knock under like any spoony young sub the moment he met a pretty woman? But now things were changed. He had never bargained, somehow, for her marrying again; he had got to look upon her more or less as his own. When she had written that letter with all the allusions to Shorthorn in it, his blood had fairly boiled. He didn't regret a bit the letter he had written in reply, telling her he was leaving India the very day he could get leave, and asking her to be his wife. After all, why shouldn't he marry? He was over 30, and he had had, as he remembered with a smile, his "fling." The other fellows in his regiment used to chaff him and call him "casual," and said that he never did to-day what he could put off till to-morrow. But that was all nonsense. He could make up his mind like other men, even to matrimony. And here was her answer to his letter: "Do not come too late." Well, he had got his leave, and would be with her in three weeks.

Mrs. Lennox was the sort of woman about whom people's tongues are always wagging. Hardly was her late husband borne beneath nodding plumes to Kensal Green, than she was married, in perspective, to at least a dozen admirers. She was a great success in society, for besides being a charming woman, she was a fashionable poetess, writing words for Tosti's songs, and publishing small volumes of verse bound in white parchment, and printed on extra thick paper. Tall and slight, with smooth dark hair and liquid eyes, she had a face full of character and determination. To look at Mrs. Lennox was to know that she was a woman who rapidly made up her mind, and who once having done so, was not likely to alter it. But two years had passed away since her husband's death, and this nineteenth-century Sappho had not consoled herself. And then had come the Dick Irton episode.

It was a bright morning in June when Capt. Irton arrived at Charing Cross Station, thoroughly fagged and wearied with his long journey. He had come as fast as P. and O. steamers and mail trains can bring a man from Bombay to the Strand. But in a couple of hours he hoped to have rid himself of all signs of travel, to have got inside a decent coat, and to be in the shady drawing-room in Park Street, with Dorothy Lennox's soft arms round his neck. He felt very sleepy and somewhat aggrieved, for he had nursed the unreasoning hope of seeing her at the station although she could not possibly know exactly when he would arrive. He had started by the very next mail from Bombay, so that writing would have been useless. He felt, indeed, that he had answered her telegram in a very practical fashion. How overjoyed she would be to have him back! He hoped it would not be too much for her—seeing him suddenly again like this. So, throwing himself on the bed in his room at the Grand Hotel, he fell asleep.

When Dick awoke it was 3 in the afternoon. Tubbing and unpacking took an hour, and then he had to go out and buy a tall hat. After this he directed the cabman to the house in Park street.

The shady Mayfair street looked bright and pleasant as his hansom rattled along, the houses smartened up for the season with new blinds and window-boxes full of daisies and spirea. A light breeze blew in his face, and a couple of fair-haired girls in pink cotton made a bright patch against the gray-toned houses. By Jove! how awfully nice it all was, after India! A man might be very happy in London, with a charming wife who would know how to give little dinners, and the club, and the theaters, and the park.

Pulling up at the house, Dick's jaw fell. There was an awning from the door to the curbstone, with a crowd of nursemaids and urchins gaping on each side. The street was full of carriages, too. What did it mean? Then Dick remembered that Mrs. Lennox gave a great many afternoon parties. Well, it was deuced disappointing, he said to himself, when you had come all the way from India to see a woman, to find she was giving one of those infernal kettledrums the very day you arrive.

Inside the house there was the usual elbowing, well-dressed crowd that you see any afternoon in the season at Mayfair. Boys in gray coats, with pink carnations in their button-holes, jogged old club men in brown coats and white gardenias. In the dining-room hook-nosed dowagers were foraging for ices, while on the landing frisky matrons loitered with their temporary swains.

On the stairs, Dick met a woman whom he knew, an enthusiastic girl of 43, who was dressed in more juvenile garb than when he had last seen her. Murmuring "Charmed to see you back—happy occasion!" she tripped past him.

"Happy occasion, was it?" said Dick to himself, wishing his gushing acquaintance and the rest of the guests at the bottom of the sea. It would have been a happier occasion still if he could have found his Dorothy alone in her amber-tinted room.

When Capt. Irton reached the door, he could see Mrs. Lennox standing in the midst of a small crowd of people, who all seemed to be talking at once. By Jove! how "fetching" she looked in her silver-gray gown, with a huge bouquet of orchids, and that gray tulle thing she had on her head! Was that a new fashion Dick wondered, for women to wear bonnets at their own "at homes"? And there was that ass Shorthorn close beside her, with a particularly fatuous expression on his face! It was high time he had written, Dick thought; it was high time he had come. Why, the fellow was far gone—over head and ears; Dick could see that by the way he appropriated Mrs. Lennox with his eyes.

Then one of the circle moved away, and Dorothy turned and saw Capt. Irton at the door. She looked as if she had seen a ghost. Coming forward, he took her hand, and then he saw that something was wrong. Without a word she motioned him into an adjoining room, which for the moment was empty.

"Good God!" she whispered "why have you come now? I wired that you were not to come, that it was too late. I wrote, too, but you cannot have got my letter."

"Too late, Dorothy! what do you mean? Your telegram said: 'Do not come too late.' Well, I started the next day."

"Poor Dick," she said at last, "what a dreadful mistake you have made! 'Do not come. Too late,' was the message I sent. Did you not remember that there are no full-stops in telegraphy? I was married an hour ago to Lord Shorthorn. Come in and let me introduce you to my husband."

And this was Dick Irton's little mistake. There are no full-stops in telegraphy, but when, ten minutes later, Dick saw Lord and Lady Shorthorn drive off amidst showers of rice and slippers, he knew that he had made a moral full-stop which he would remember all his life.—[London World.

A Burden off His Mind.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"James," said one of the bookkeepers to the new porter in the store, "you are not expected to bow to the head of the firm every morning when he comes in and ask after his health."

"I'm not?"

"Of course not."

"Very well, then, you can cut my wages down $3 a week. It's worth that to have the burden off my mind."

MONEY.

New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Matthews & Whitaker, bankers and brokers, 121 North Third street, St. Louis, Mo.

Stocks.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Canada Southern	66	66¼	65⅞	65⅞
Canadian Pacific	69¼	69⅜	69	69
Central New Jersey	50⅛	51⅛	49½	51
Central Pacific	......	......	......	......
C., St. P., M. & O.	54⅛	54¼	53	53
do pfd	114½	115¼	114½	114¾
C., R. I. & P.	127½	128¼	127½	127¾
C., B. & Q.	141	141	140½	140½
C., M. & St. P.	94⅞	95	94½	94⅝
C. & N. W. com	120	120	119½	119½
Del., Lack. & West	141¼	141½	140¾	141
Del. & Hudson	106⅜	106⅜	106¼	106¼
Denver & Rio Grande	33⅝	33⅞	33¼	33¼
East Tenn. com	32¾	34½	32½	33⅜
East Tenn. pfd	76⅜	78	76¼	77⅞
Erie com	37⅞	38⅛	37⅝	37¾
Erie pfd	79	79½	78¾	79
Erie 2d mtg. bond	103⅞	104	103¼	103½
Houston & Texas	39¼	......	......	39¼
Illinois Central	......	......	......	......
Ind., B. & West	17¾	......	......	17¾
Lake Shore	97	97⅛	96⅞	97
Louisville & Nashville	62¼	63⅛	62¼	62⅞
Michigan Central	96½	96⅞	96½	96⅞
Missouri Pacific	116	116¼	115½	116
M., K. & T.	37	37	36⅝	36⅝
Manhattan Elevated	166¼	166¼	165¼	165¼
N. Y. & New Eng.	63	65⅝	63	64⅞
New York Central	113⅞	114	113¾	114
N. Pacific com	28¾	28⅞	28½	28⅝
do pfd	63½	63¾	63⅜	63⅝
Ohio Southern	21	21¼	21	21¼
Oregon Trans	36¾	36¾	36⅜	36⅜
O. N. & Trans. Co.	106⅝	106⅞	106½	106½
Ohio & M. com	34¼	35⅛	34	35⅛
Pacific Mail	53½	54⅜	53¼	54¼
Phila. & Reading	40⅞	41⅛	40½	41⅛
Pullman Palace Car	......	......	......	......
St. Paul & Duluth com	64	64	63⅞	63⅞
do pfd	111½	......	......	111½
St. L. & S. F. com	35⅝	36	35⅝	35¾
St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.	117½	......	......	117½
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	71	72⅛	71	71½
St. P. M. & Man.	......	......	......	......
Texas & Pacific	22¾	24¾	22¾	24¼
Texas & Pacific Income	......	......	......	......
Union Pacific	61⅛	62	60½	61⅛
Wab., St. L. & P.	20½	20½	20⅛	20⅛
do pfd	37¾	37¼	37½	37½
Western U. T. Co.	79	79⅛	78⅜	78⅝
West Shore Bonds	103½	104¼	103½	104½

ENGLISH CONSOLS—Cash—Opening, 102 1-16; closing, 102 1-16.

ENGLISH CONSOLS—Account—Opening, 102⅛; closing, 102⅛.

Wall Street.

NEW YORK, November 22, 11 a. m.—The stock market opened irregular, but generally firm, this morning, changes from Saturday's final prices ranging from ⅛ to ⅝ per cent generally, while Richmond & West Point was up ½ per cent. The market was active, the principal trading being in Jersey Central, Reading, Erie and West Point. Prices were weak and further declines were made in the early dealings and Jersey Central, though at first advancing ¾, quickly broke 1⅜. The losses in the general list ranged from ⅛ to ⅝ per cent. Toward 11 o'clock the market rallied and the early losses were generally regained, the Chicago, St. Louis & Pittsburg stocks being very strong. At 11 o'clock the market is active and strong.

NEW YORK, November 22, noon.—Money is quiet at 5 per cent; bar silver 102@102½. The stock market remained active after 11 o'clock, but soon became weak again and declines ranging up to ⅝ per cent were established, which, however, were again recovered later and the market became strong throughout, Jersey Central being conspicuous. At noon the market is active and strong. Governments: U. S. 3s, 100⅛; 4s coupons, 127⅝; do 4½s coupons, 111; Pacific 6s of '95, 126½.

NEW YORK, November 22, 3 p. m.—The stock market was quiet and generally heavier from noon until about 1:30 p. m., when it rallied and became strong on active trading and continued so until near the close when it became irregular and generally weak and closed at about opening figures.

BOSTON, November 22.—Mexican bonds: 4s, 52½@53½; 7s, 56@56½; scrip, 80@81; common, 12¼@12½.

LONDON, November 22, 12:30 p. m.—Consols opened at 102 1-16 for money and the account.

4 p. m.—Consols closed at 102 1-16 for money and 102⅛ for the account.

Local Bonds.

Corrected daily by James Campbell, Banker and Broker, 307 Pine street.

U. S. BONDS.

	When Due.	Interest Payable.	Bid.	Ask.
3 ℘ cent bonds	......	M. A. N. & F.	100⅛	100⅜
4½ ℘ cent bonds	1891	J. S. D. & M.	111⅛	112
4 ℘ cent bonds	1907	J. A. J. & O.	128	128½

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

	When Due.	Interest Payable.	Bid.	Ask.
City 4s sterling, 10-20s	1902	May and Nov.	101½	103
City 4s sterling, 10-20s	1903	Jan. and July	102½	103½
City 5s sterling, 10-20s	1900	June and Dec	103½	104½
City 5s	1900	Jan. and July	109	110
City 6s currency	1886–87	Various	101¼	102
City 6s gold	1892–93	Various	110½	111
City 6s sterling	1898	June and Dec	117	118
City 6s water	1887	June and Dec	101¼	102
City 6s water	1890	June and Dec	107½	108½
City 6s water	1892	Apr. and Oct.	110½	111
City 6s bridge approach	1892	June and Dec	110¾	111½
County 6s gold	1895–96	Jan. and July	114½	116
County Park	1905	Apr. and Oct.	123	125

RAILWAY BONDS.

	When Due.	Interest Payable.	Bid.	Ask.
Mo. Pac. 1st m 6s	1888	Feb. and Aug	104	104⅛
Mo. Pac. Consols	1920	May and Nov.	113	114
Mo. Pac. 2d m 7s	1891	Jan. and July	111	112
Mo. Pac. 3d	1905	May and Nov.	122½	123
No. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895	Jan. and July	120	121
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	Feb. and Aug	108	113½
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	June and Dec	106	111½
K. P. D. Ex. 6s	1899	May and Nov.	104½	105½
K. P. Consols	1910	May and Nov.	98½	99
St. L. & M. 1st 7s	1892	Feb. and Aug	112½	113

CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT.

Clearings	$2,946,750
Balances	412,490

Mining Stocks.

Name.	Bid.	Asked.
Granite	$47 00	$48 00
Small Hopes	8 50	9 00
Adams	6 00	6 25
Sheridan	7 00	7 30
Peacock	3 00	3 25
Yavapai	1 15	1 25
Mexican Improvement	1 65	1 70
Ideal	1 35	1 40
Laclede		75
Quincy	15	20
West Granite	....	1 60
Hope	45 00	....
Sonora	22½	25

COMMERCE.

SOLD THEMSELVES SHORT.

The Crowd Sell Too Much Wheat on the Visible Increase—Corn Follows Wheat.

By Telegraph from Jones, McCormick & Kennett, Chicago, to the POST-DISPATCH.

CHICAGO, November 22.—Figuring on the visible supply for a greater part of the morning kept the market in a very unsettled state. No one offered an estimate of less than three quarters of a million, and as each point reported, and it became almost certain the increase would be much larger than that there was a noticeable desire to sell. From the opening at 75¼c, the market at the decline was slow until the visible was announced at 1,250,000 bushels increase. Then a great deal of wheat was sold. The offerings were well taken on the decline by Milmine, Bodman & Co. They were the most conspicuous buyers, both at the top and bottom. At the latter point they took all the offerings and apparently bailed out the crowd, who must have sold short judging from the way they jumped for wheat on the advance. The closing was steady and puts may possibly hold the market the balance of the day.

Corn opened firm and has ruled rather steady. The undertone is strong, but a lack of orders prevents much being done. The covering by some local shorts rather stiffened the market, but it went off later in sympathy with wheat, as it closed higher on a ½c advance in wheat.

Closing Prices—3 P. M.

Reported daily by S. W. COBB & CO., 317 and 319 Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS:	Closing Saturday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Nov.	76¾	....	....	76 b
Dec.	77⅛	77¼	76½	76¾
Jan.	78¾	78⅞	78¼	78⅜
May.	85⅛	85¼	84⅜@½	84¾
CORN.				
Nov.	34	34¼	34¼	34 b
Dec.	34⅛	....	....	34¼ b
Jan.	35	35⅛	35	35⅛
Feb.	35⅝	....	....	36 b
May.	38½	38¾@⅞	38⅝	38¾
OATS.				
Dec.	26¼	....	....	26¼ b
May.	30½	30⅝	30⅜	30⅝
CHICAGO:				
WHEAT.				
Dec.	75⅛	75¼	74½@⅝	74¾@⅞
Jan.	75¾	75⅞	75¼	75½
May.	82⅛	82⅛	81½@⅝	81⅞
CORN.				
Dec.	36½@⅝	36⅞	36⅝	36¾ b
Jan.	37⅞	37⅛@¼	36⅞	37⅛ b
May.	41½	42	41½@⅝	41⅞
OATS.				
Dec.	26⅜	26½	26⅜	26½
Jan.	26½	26⅝	26½@⅝	26⅝
May.	30½@⅝	30¾	30⅝	30¾
PORK.				
Dec.	9.50	9.47	9.45	9.47 b
Jan.	10.10	10.10	10.07	10.07@10 a
Feb.	10.17	10.20	10.15	10.17 a
LARD.				
Dec.	5.90	5.90	5.90	5.90
Jan.	5.97	5.95	5.95	5.95 b
Feb.	6.05	6.02	6.02	6.02 b
SHORT RIBS.				
Jan.	5.15	5.16	5.15	5.15
Feb.	5.17	5.20	5.15	5.15 b

NEW YORK—Wheat—November, 85⅛c; December, 85⅞c b.; January, 87½c b; February, 89¼c; May, 93½c b. Corn—November, 46c½; December, 46⅜c b.; January, 47⅞c b.; February, 48⅞c b.; May, 51c b. Oats—November, 33¼c; December, 33½c; January, 34½c; May, 36½c.

TOLEDO—Wheat—December, 78¼c; January, 79¾c; May, 85¾c a.

DULUTH—Wheat—December, 75½c; May, 82¾c.

Movements of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

Ports.	Receipts. Wheat.	Receipts. Corn.	Shipments. Wheat.	Shipments. Corn.
St. Louis	32,003	48,750	6,890	6,504
Chicago	83,207	123,770	17,642	13,861
Milwaukee	16,575	960	126,987	
Baltimore	54,246	29,778	43,040	91,032
Toledo	24,206	1,093	33,400	19,000
New York	231,500	74,450	160,234	90,244
Detroit	25,716	1,164	14,175	
Minneapolis	237,600	......	59,400	
Duluth	195,544	......	75,000	37,326
Kansas City				
Philadel'hia	15,899	6,111	2,750	10,764

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Wheat bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Rye bu.	Barley bu.
To-day	4,589,312	977,173	555,447	32,589	130,004
Sat'dy	4,604,056	981,249	552,665	37,621	135,849
	No. 2 Red.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2	No. 2.
To-day	3,926,879	658,954	461,962	25,813	....
Sat'dy	3,923,964	673,233	459,923	30,895	....

Visible Supply of Grain.

	Nov. 20, '86.	Nov. 13, '86.	Nov. 21, '85.
Wheat	59,551,351	58,322,264	54,267,869
Corn	12,289,408	13,096,713	2,983,041
Oats	5,650,747	5,649,600	2,540,936
Rye	409,625	459,731	630,729
Barley	2,666,573	2,597,418	2,372,909

St. Louis Markets.

FORENOON SESSION, CLOSING 1 P. M.

Nearly all advices from the other side indicate that this country is now the only one, practically, from which Europe can draw further supplies to fill her deficit on this crop, which is fully as much as estimated and more than that of 1880.——A late communication from an Antwerp correspondent states that the European wheat stocks were not increasing and thinks prices likely to advance.——The New York Evening Post says: "The reason that the visible supply of wheat is so large seem to be not that the production has increased much more than the consumption, but that investments in elevator property for some years past have been paying good dividends, and this during the past few years has led to the erection of quite a number, thereby more than doubling the capacity. In addition to this capitalists have been making money out of the carrying of wheat against sales for future delivery. These enterprises have been backed up by the various railroad companies, and this has resulted in increasing the visible supply of wheat. As that which is seen has far more influence with the majority of humanity than the unseen, they gaze at the large visible supply of wheat with apparent terror, forgetting to compute the smallness of the invisible."——New York's exports last week were 18,621 bbls and 91,440 sks flour, 754,868 bu wheat, and 310,148 bu corn. This is an increase in wheat and flour over the preceding week.——"I found the trade very bullish on wheat at Baltimore," said Joe Sherry, who has just returned from that city. "They believe stocks are very light on the other side, and they must take our wheat. Baltimore sold them a large line of wheat last week. There is a great scarcity of vessel room, though ocean freights are cheaper from Baltimore than from New York, or even Boston. A curious thing about it is that most of the vessels carrying the wheat are sailors, something not known before for six or eight years. While they want our wheat on the other side, yet they are in no particular hurry for it, and whether a cargo takes twenty days by a steamer or two months by a sailing vessel, is all the same to them. Baltimore has very small stocks—not over 100,000 bu corn and 1,100,000 of wheat, and of the wheat only about 300,000 bu is No. 2."——The increase in stocks of wheat at New York, Duluth, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Toledo and Detroit was 1,212,807 bu, and the decrease at St. Louis, Milwaukee and Baltimore 229,778 bu.——Lovell Stebbins, one of the Merchants' Exchange Assistant Secretaries, is a sure enough father now, a little girl arriving at his home yesterday. As this is his first child he feels correspondingly proud.——The visible supply report compiled by New York makes out an increase of 1,228,808 bu in wheat and a decrease of 807,305 bu in corn.——The visible supply of wheat is now the largest ever known.——A report was floating around this morning that several of the local mills intended to shortly close down, but as this report has been started out several times in the past few weeks without any of them doing so, it produced no effect. St. Louis millers do not want to carry around the reputation for truth and veracity that the Northwestern millers have.——Late advices were that fifty-two loads wheat had been taken from Eastern seaboard ports, including all out ports. Jones, McCormick & Kennett, New York, wired Fath-Ewald: "Seven loads for export. Power Sons are shipping ten loads, which we gave week or more ago, bought for export c. i. f. The crowd are counting this over again. At other ports, Baltimore, etc., there has been 20 to 25 loads taken."

Wheat—There was no doubt of the encouraging tenor of European advices this morning, the public cables reporting a good demand, and strong markets, with California wheat higher, and private cables even better than this as they were strong, with bids of ½d higher for all descriptions, and Liverpool sent some buying orders that had no limits as to prices. This strong news from the other side opened the markets of this country firm and a little better, gaining here ⅛c in price. The visible supply, however, soon began to overshadow everything else, the Duluth, Minneapolis and St. Paul stocks coming in over 900,000 bu larger and promising to make the increase in the total much larger than had been counted on. This checked the advance and speculation at the same time, the markets soon becoming dead flat and showing no material change in values until the visible supply report came in. The large increase in this at once started such a selling furore that prices broke rapidly until fully ¾c below the top, but they recovered just as rapidly when the heavy export purchases at the Atlantic seaboard were heard of. The close was firm and ⅛c below Saturday. Spot grades were very quiet, as there was little for sale or wanted. Speculators took No. 2 red at ¼c advance, but no other grades sold. Samples were weak and dragging at first, but became steadier and sold more freely afterwards. No. 2 red 76¼c regular, 76⅝c in St. L. and bid for D.; No. 3 red 73c asked for E. and bid for M., D. and Collier; No. 4, ——; No. 2 Mediterranean, 74c bid; No. 3 do, 72c bid; rejected, ——.

Corn—The wet weather put a little more strength into the market, but the decline in wheat checked the advance temporarily; late the market recovering on the 800,000 bu decrease in the visible and the sharp upturn then in wheat. The close was firm, with May ¼c higher. Trading was fairly active in May at the lowest point reached, but little was done otherwise. Spot grades were firm and quiet, as there was not much of a demand and offerings were small. No. 2, 34 regular, 34¼c in M. and C.; No. 3, 32¼c E. side, 32¾c in St. L., 32⅝c bid for E. and U., 33c for D.; No. 4, 32c asked regular and bid this side; No. 2 white, 35½c in U., 36c bid this side; No. 3 do, 34c in U., 35c bid this side; no grade, 30½c in U.

Oats—Futures were firm, but marked by the same apathy and light trading that have characterized the market for some time past. May sold ⅛c above the best bid of Saturday and that was all done. Spot grades were firm, but little was done. No. 2 26⅜c asked and 26c bid for regular, 26⅛c bid for C.; No. 3, 26c in St. L. and bid for M.

Rye steady and firm, but demand light. Grade No. 2 sold in St. L. at 51c and for E. side 52c was bid; No. 3 this side had 49c bid. May No. 2 offered at 57½c, bid 57c.

Barley—Demand better and some large trades that have been in treaty for some time were consummated, 100,000 bu choice Minnesota and 50 cars being sold by one party. Prices were no better and can be reported as steady only. Quotations are as follows: Common and rejected, 30@35c; No. 3, 40@45c; prime, 50@55c; choice, 60@62c fancy, 65@67c.

Flour was quieter, as the demand was not so good even as last Saturday and it was certain that prices were no more than steady. There seemed to be a scarcity of orders and the weakness displayed by wheat had an unfavorable effect, as it tended to hold buyers off. We quote: Patents, $3.95@4.35; straights, $3.50@3.70; clears, $3.10@3.50; mediums, $2.30@2.65; low grades, $1.90@2.20. Quotations of the St. Louis Flour Dealers' Association were: XX, $2.10@2.20.; XXX, $2.30@40; family, $2.55@2.70; choice, $3.05@3.15; fancy, $3.40@3.50; extra do, $3.55@3.80; patents at $3.95@4.35. These prices are for lots on arrival at the depot or levee; order lots higher.

Rye Flour—Quiet at $3.10@3.20 per bbl.

Cornmeal—Dull at $2.00@2.05 for city on orders del.; pearl meal, $2.50; grits and hominy, $2.60@2.70.

Bran wanted, but very scare and held stiffly, millers asking 58c for sacked f. o. b. this side, while 57c bid at the mill; bulk sold at 45c at country point.

Hay was active, an urgent local demand coming for fancy timothy and prairie, which were scarce, but grades below choice of all kinds favored buyers in price, though the demand was fairly good. Sales ranged as follows: This side—Prairie, $7@9 for Iowa and $8@10 for Kansas; slough grass, $6@6.50; mixed timothy, $7.50@10; prime fancy to timothy, $9.50@13. East track stock sells about $1@2 per ton below the above rates.

Provisions failed to show the least improvement in any way and bacon sold lower than Saturday. The demand was only the usual order one and generally for small lots and the market was tame and uninteresting in consequence. Pork was scarce and this made it firm, standard mess selling at $9.87½@10. Prime steam lard was also firm, and 125 tcs sold to a local buyer at $5.85. Boxed dry salt longs sold at $5.45, c'ribs at $5.55 and shorts at $5.70; loose held f. o. b. on cash orders: shoulders, 4¾c; longs, 5¼c; cribs, $5.60, and shorts, $5.90. Green 15-lb hams sold East side at 7.90c and 14-lb this side from the block at 7.70c. Packed bacon shoulders sold at 5½c, longs at 6¾c, c'ribs at 6¾@6⅞c and short at 6⅞@7.20c; loose shorts at 7c. Country lard, 5@5¼c per lb. for small lots in irregular pkgs. C. s. c. hams, 9½@11½c. Breakfast bacon, 8½@9½c. Beef—Family, $6.50@8 per bbl; on orders higher, $4.25@4.75 per ½-bbl; dried, 11@12c; selected, 14c per lb; smoked tongues, $4.25@5 per doz. Tallow—Prime summer rendered, 3⅞@4c in oil bbls; No. 2, 3¼@3½c; in irregular packages, ¼c less. Grease—Brown and yellow, 2½@3¼c; white, 3½@4c; straight lots held higher. Salt—Domestic, 90c ℘ bbl. on east and 95c this side. Ground alum, $1.10 ℘ sack—small way higher.

Highwines steady at $1.13 in St. Louis and Cincinnati, $1.14 in Peoria, $1.18 in Chicago.

Lead firm and higher on a better inquiry. Late Saturday all the lots of desilverized refined offered below $4.10 were bought by consumers, and two cars soft Missouri sold at $4. To-day 5 cars chemical hard brought $4.10 East side and at under that price refined could not be bought, while soft Missouri was held at $4.05@4.07½.

St. Louis Afternoon Board.

Wheat weak and lower. Corn and oats steady. Latest reports on export purchases of wheat placed them at 60 loads. Chicago privileges—December wheat, 74½@⅝c for puts and 75⅛@¼c for calls.

Cotton.

There was not much strength manifest in the markets of to-day, Liverpool reporting her spots firm, with a fair demand, and futures opening a point, but the latter lost this afterwards, and closed barely steady. New York futures declined almost steadily from the very first, and at close were 7@9 points below Saturday, while shorts were easy on basis of 9 3-16c for middling. A fair business was done in the local market, 1,868 bales selling, and prices were steady.

LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS—Low ordinary and ordinary nominal; good ordinary, 7⅝c; low middling, 8 5-16c; middling, 8¾c; good middling, 8 15-16c; middling fair, 9½c.

RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND STOCKS—Gross receipts to-day, 4,019 bales, against 4,857 bales last year; since September 1, 1886, 160,078 bales, against 206,368 same time last year; shipments to-day, 3,191 bales, against 3,979 bales last year; since Sept. 1, 1886, 122,336 bales, against 146,197 bales same time last year; stocks in compresses and warehouses to-day, 47,758 bales, against 60,780 bales.

CLOSING PRICES, 3 P. M.

LIVERPOOL—Uplands, 5 3-16d; Orleans, 5⅜d. Sales, 12,000 bales. Futures closed barely steady. November and December, 5 4-64d; December and January, 5 2-64d; January and February, 5 2-64d; February and March, 5 3-64d; March and April, 5 5-64d; April and May, 5 7-64d; May and June, 5 9-64d; June and July, 5 12-64d.

NEW YORK—Futures closed easy. November, 9.01c; December, 9.04c; January, 9.15c; February, 9.25c; March, 9.36c; April, 9.46c; May, 9.56c; June, 9.66c; July, 9.75c; August, 9.83c. Sales, 89,800 bales.

Country Produce.

APPLES—Active demand and strong market. Geneting, $1.25@1.75; winesap, $1.25@1.75; romanite, $1.10@1.50; Roman beauty, $1.50@2; Ben Davis, $1.75@2.25; willow twig, $2@2.25; Huntsman's favorite, $2.25@2.50 per bbl.

DRIED FRUITS—Very firm and in demand, especially apples; sun-dried apples at 2¼@2½c for dark and poor; 2¾@3½c for fair to good quarters, and 3¼@3½c for choice bright quarters; peelings and cores, 1@1½c. Evaporated at 5@6c for quarters and slices, and 7@8c for rings. Peaches—Quarters and mixed, 2½@3c, and halves, 3½@4¼c for old and 4½@5c for new; evaporated 10@12c for unpeeled and 12@18c for peeled. Blackberries, 7¾@8c.

POTATOES—Supply scant and in urgent demand. We quote at 30@35c for rose and Ohio at 42½@47½c for peerless and New York burbanks 53@55c per bu; poor stock less.

ONIONS—Firm and in demand at 90@95c for prime yellow and red ℘ bu.

GRASS SEEDS—Nothing offering. Timothy ranges at $1.55@1.65; clover at $4.30@4.40; red top at 25@40c.

COTTON SEED—Selling at $9.25 per ton.

HEMPSEED—Steady at 85c, pure test.

FLAXSEED—Salable at 93c, pure test.

BUTTER—Receipts, 61,440 lbs. Demand light and market quiet under liberal offerings, but steady. We quote: Creamery—Choice to fancy, 23@25c; selections, 26@27c; Elgin higher. Dairy—Choice 20@23c; selections, 24@25c; fair to medium, 14@18c; near-by country make at 8@12c, according to quality. Roll—Near-by at 12½@15c; choice Northern 16@20c.

CHEESE—Wisconsin full cream, 11½@12c; Illinois do do, 10@11c; Illinois do do, 10@11c; skims, 7@8c; Young America, 12@12½c.

EGGS—Receipts, 537 pkgs. Slower but good stock sold steadily at 19c, while limed, salted and otherwise preserved slow at 1@2c less.

GAME—Rabbits lower, but all else unchanged; a good portion of the receipts out of order. We quote: Deer carcasses, 5@6c; venison saddles, 9@10c ℘ lb; wild turkeys, 6@7c ℘ lb; grouse, $5.00; quail, $1.75; pheasant, $3; woodcock, $5; bear saddles, 12½c ℘ lb; rabbits, $1.40; jack rabbits, $3; squirrels, 65c; snipe, $1.25. Ducks—Wood and mixed, $1.50; teal, $2.25; mallard, $2.75; plover, 50c@$1; sandpipers, 25c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Only a moderate demand for choice turkeys, and sales of these at 7c ℘ lb, but by far the largest portion of the stock out of condition—slimy, sour or rough—as a good deal carried over from Saturday. This stock sold 3c to 6c ℘ lb. Chickens about unsalable, as there was no demand; nominally quotable at $1@1.25 ℘ dozen for small, to $1.75@2 for choice large. Ducks dull at $2@2.75, and geese at $3@5 per dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Really no market for live as dressed is so abundant and cheap that buyers pay no attention to the live. Round lots of chickens (old and young) selling at $1.25@1.50 ℘ dozen, and it is a difficult matter to realize much more than this in selling one or two coops at a time. Turkeys sell slow at 5@5½c ℘ lb. Ducks at $1.75@2.25 and geese at $3@4.

BROOM CORN—Firm and in demand. Quote: Inside and covers, 3@4½c, self working, 3@4½c; hurl, 4½@5c.

LAMBS—Sales at $1.50@3.25 per head, top rate for fat.

VEALS—Small fat, 6c; poor, 4½@5½c, and heretics, 3@4c ℘ lb.

HIDES—Firm and demand good We quote: Green salted No. 1 at 9c; No. 2 at 7¾c; bull and stags 5c; uncured 1c ℘ lb less; glue stock, 3c. Dry flint No. 1 at 16c; No. 2 at 13c; bulls and stags, 10c; dry salted, 12c; damaged, 10c; glue, 7c.

BEESWAX—Steady; 20c for choice.

DEER SKINS—Firm at 19c for prime dry.

SHEEP PELTS—Green, 60c@$1 for fair to choice large; dry, 40@70c; lamb skins, 30@50c; shearlings, 20@45c.

FEATHERS—Dull and weak. We quote: Prime live geese (white) at 40c in large sacks, and 41c in small sacks (stock largely gray 5c ℘ lb less than prime white); unripe, quilly, etc., 30@35c; mixed and old, 10@30c; chicken (dry picked), 4@5c; duck, 20c; tare, 3 and 10 ℘ cent.

FURS—Quiet. Inside prices are for Southern and outside for Western:

	No. 1 Large.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Raccoon	50@ 60	35@ 45	25@ 30	15@ 20
Mink	40@ 50	30@ 35	20@ 25	10@ 15
Beaver	6 00@6 50	4 00@4 50	2 50@3 00	1 00@1 50
Otter (cased)		5 00@6 00	3 00@4 00	1 50@2 00
Fox—red & gray "		90@1 00	50@ 60	20@ 30

Skunk—Cased, black	75@85	Short stripe	50@60
Skunk—Cased, narrow	30@40	Broad and white	5@10
Pole cat	10	Wolf, No. 1	60@75
Muskrat, winter	10	Wild cat	15@25
Muskrat, fall	6	House cat	5@10
Muskrat, kits	1@ 2	Bear, black and brown	25c@$8
Opossum (trash out)	8@12½	Badger	50
No. 4 Raccoon	7@10	No. 4 Mink	5@ 8
No. 4 Beaver and otter	25@75	No. 4 Fox, red and gray	5@10

☞ 10 to 25 ℘ cent is usually deducted on otter, skunk, mink, fox, etc., when "open," and on coon, beaver, bear and other articles when "cased."

WOOL—Received to-day, 5,298 pounds. Quiet. We quote:

States.	Medium. Cl'ng.	Medium. C'mb'g.	Low and coarse
Mo., Ill., Io., Ark., Ind. and Ky.	26	25@25½	17@21
Kansas and Nebraska	22 @ 22½	....	16@40
Texas and Indian Territory 12 mo.	25 @ 25½	....	15@22
Texas and Indian Territory 6 mo.	23 @ 23½	....	14@19
Colorado, New Mexico and Mexico	22 @ 22½	....	14@20
Tennessee and Southern	26½	....	18@22
Montana and Wyoming	25½	....	15@22
Utah	21½@ 23½	....	15@20

States.	Fine. Light.	Fine. Heavy.	Black.
Mo., Ill., Io., Ark., Ind. and Ky.	21@22	17@19	20@23
Kansas and Nebraska	20@21	17@18	18@20
Texas and Indian Territory 12 mo.	22@24	18@20	19@22
Texas and Indian Territory 6 mo.	19@22	16@18	17@19
Colorado, New Mexico and Mexico	20@21	17@19	17@18
Tennessee and Southern	18@22	17@19	20@22
Montana and Wyoming	21@23	18@19	19@21
Utah	19@22	17@18	18@20

Slightly burry, cotted or sandy, 2c to 3c off; moderately do, 4@5c off; hard do, 11@15c per pound.

Tub—Choice, 38@39c; fair, 36@37c; low and coarse, 30@35c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, November 22.—Wheat—A shade stronger and active; receipts, 231,500 bu; sales, 214,044 bu No. 2 red December, 86½@86¾c; 1,728,000 bu. do January, 87 13-16@88⅛c; 472,000 bu do February, 89½@89⅝c; 48,000 bu do March, 92⅛c; 618,000 bu May, 93⅝@94. Corn a shade firmer; very quiet; receipts, 74,450 bu; sales, 721,000 bu; mixed Western spot, 45@46¾c; do futures, 46@50½c. Oats firmer; quiet; receipts, 59,650 bu; sales, 25,000 bu Western, 33@40c. Beef steady; new extra mess, $7.50@8. Pork firm; new mess, $10.50@11; old do, $10@10.25. Lard steady; steam rendered, 6.22½c. Butter firm; Western, 12@29c. Eggs—Western fresh, 24@24½c. Sugar steady; crushed, 6 3-16@¼c; powdered, 5 15-16@6⅛c; granulated, 5 11-16c. Molasses dull. Coffee strong. Turpentine dull at 36½c.

CHICAGO, November 22, 11 a. m.—Wheat opened firm this morning, December advancing to 75½c, but has fallen back to 74⅞c; May rose to 82¼c, but is off again to 81⅞c. May corn, 41⅝@41¾c. January pork, $10.10.

1 p. m.—Wheat quiet and steady; cash, 74¾c. December, 74⅞@75c; January, 75¾c; May, 82c. Corn firm; cash, 36⅜c; December, 36⅜@36⅝c; January, 37⅛@37¼c; May, 41⅞@42c. Oats steady; cash, 26¼c; May, 30¾c. Rye, 52½c. Barley, 54c. Flaxseed, 93½c. Prime timothy, $1.70. Whisky, $1.18. Pork easy; cash, $9.47½; January, $10.40. Lard easy; cash $5.90; January, $5.97.

BALTIMORE, November 22.—Wheat—Western lower and quiet; No 2. winter red, spot, 83½@84c; December, 84½@84¾c; January, 86⅛@86¼c; February, 87¾@88c; May, 91c bid. Corn—Western steady and fairly active; mixed spot, 44⅛c bid; year, 44⅜@44⅝c; January, 45⅜@45½c; February, 45⅞@46⅛c; steamer, 43@43½c. Oats firm; Western white, 34@36c; do mixed, 32@33c. Provisons quiet and nominal; mess pork, $11; Lard—Refined, 7½c. Eggs quiet at 23@24c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 12½@13c. Receipts—Flour, 10,976 bbls; wheat, 54,000 bu; corn, 30,000 bu; oats, 4,000 bu; rye, 2,600 bu. Shipments—Flour, 10,209 bbls; wheat 43,000 bu; corn, 91,000 bu; oats, 500 bu.

KANSAS CITY, MO., November 22.—The Daily Indicator reports: Wheat—Receipts, 4,610 bu; shipments, 12,000 bu; in store, 421,918 bu; steady; No. 2 red cash, 62c bid, 62½c asked; December, 62½c bid, 64c asked; May seller at 71⅜c; No. 2 soft cash, sales at 69⅛c. Corn—Receipts, 1,105 bu; shipments, 4,133 bu; in store, 140,226 bu; stronger; No. 2, cash, 30¾c bid, 31c asked; December, 31c bid, 31¼c asked; January, 32c bid, 32¼c asked; February, 33¼c bid, 33½c asked; May sales at 35⅞c; No. 2 white, cash, 31c bid, 31½c asked. Oats—No. 2 cash, 24¼c bid; no offerings. Rye—No. 2 cash, 42¼c bid; no offerings. Eggs and butter unchanged. Hay unchanged.

CINCINNATI, November 22.—Flour steady; family, $3.15@3.35; fancy, $3.55@3.85. Wheat firmer at 76@77c. Corn stronger at 37@37¼c. Oats easier at 28½@29c. Rye firm at 57½@59c. Pork firmer at $9.75. Lard firm at $5.95. Bulk meats easy; short ribs, 5.87½c. Bacon quiet; short rib, 7.12½c; short clear, 7.35c. Whisky steady; sales, 977 bbls finished goods on basis of $1.13.

DETROIT, November 22.—Wheat—No. 1 cash, 77½c bid; cash Michigan red, 78c asked; No. 2 red, 77½c bid cash and November; 77¾c bid December; 79¼c bid January; 85½c bid May; receipts, 25,700 bu. Corn 37½c; receipts, 12,000 bu. Oats—No. 2, 28¼c; No. 2 white, 31¾c; receipts, 2,800 bu. Cloverseed, $4.55, nominal, cash; $4.60 December.

TOLEDO, November 22.—Wheat quiet and firm; cash, 77¾c; December, 78½c; January, 79⅞c; May, 85⅞c. Corn lower; active; cash, 37½c; May, 42½c. Oats neglected. Cloverseed active; cash, $4.57½; January, $4.65; February, $4.70.

MILWAUKEE, November 22.—Wheat strong; cash and December, 73c; January, 73⅞c. Corn steady; No. 2 May, 36¾c. Oats steady; No. 2, 26½c. Rye quiet; No. 1, 57c. Barley easier; No. 1, 53c.

The Butter Market.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

ELGIN, November 22.—The butter market opened without animation. The offerings are light and buyers are slow in bidding, offering 27c, but sellers make no concessions. Cheese quiet; full creams, 11c to 12c; skims, 5c to 8c.

Oil and Petroleum.

PITTSBURG, Pa., November 22.—Petroleum was active and strong. Prices opened at 74¾c, and after sagging ⅛c rallied and advanced to 75⅝c, dropping back to 75¼c at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

CLEVELAND, O., November 22.—Petroleum unchanged; S. W. 110, 7⅛c.

WILMINGTON, November 22.—Turpentine firm at 33¼c.

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, November 22.—Wheat arrived strong and corn steady. Wheat to arrive firm and a shade higher, and corn steady. Mark Lane wheat and corn firm and shade higher. Country markets a shade higher. California wheat to arrive, 36s and 35s 3d. Mixed American corn to arrive, 30s 6d. Spot wheat strong, with a good demand; holders offer moderately. No. 2 spring, 6s 9d@6s 11d; red winter, 6s 10d@7s; No. 1 California, 7s 1d@7s 3d. Mixed Western corn firm, with a fair demand at 4s 4½d. Demand from United Kingdom good for wheat and fair for corn.

LIVERPOOL, November 22, 3:30 p. m.—Pork is in fair demand; prime mess Eastern 66s, firm; do Western steady, 62s 6d. Lard is in poor demand, dull; spot or November, 32s; December and January 32s 3d. Wheat is in good demand, firm; new No. 2 winter 6s 11½d; do spring 6s 10d. Flour is in fair demand; firm at 6s 10d. Corn is in fair demand; spot or December steady at 4s 4½d; November or January firm at 4s 4½d.

LIVE STOCK.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses and mules.
Receipts	1,850	7,059	1,236	81
Shipments	746	2,039	482	92

CATTLE—Market well supplied but rather slow. Good fat butcher's cattle in demand and selling a little stronger than last week, but supply small. There were a large number of rough Texans and thin old cows which were difficult to sell at any price and were one of the principal reasons for the slowness of the trade. Good fat cornfed Texans sold without trouble to the Dressed Beef Company and shippers at $3.15@3.40. All good cattle sold well and a quick clearance was made, but common were dull all day.

RULING QUOTATIONS—Good to choice native shippers, $4.50@4.65; fair to medium, $3.75@4.20; common, $3.25@3.50; butchers' steers, fair to choice, $3.25@3.85; common, $2.65@3; cows and heifers, fair to choice, $2.25@2.90; common, $1.75@2.25; feeding steers, $2.50@3; stockers, $2.50@2.75; native bulls, $1.50@2; veal calves, $4@8 per head; Texans, $2@3.80.

Representative sales:

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Daily report of sales of cattle, November 22, 1886:

No.	Description.	Av.	Price
16	com. Southwest cows and heifers.	883	$2 00
18	com. Southwest cows and heifers.	890	2 10
32	light Southwest butcher steers	730	2 30
23	light Southwest butcher steers	750	2 35
14	light native heifers	780	2 40
19	good native steers	1,142	3 75

14 good native cows and calves, $37.50 each.
180 retail from $2 to $4.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

No.	Description.	Av.	Price.
100	corn fed Texans	1,037	$3 40
84	corn fed Texans	1,052	3 40
78	corn fed Texans	1,042	3 40
24	Texas steers	900	3 00
24	Texas cows	736	2 25
63	Texas steers	1,006	3 15
87	rough Texan steers	945	2 65
14	Southwest stockers	742	2 50
10	Southwest stockers	841	2 75
21	Southwest cows	846	2 25
13	Southwest cows (old)	873	1 70
22	Texas steers	947	3 00
21	Texas steers	833	2 62½
24	Indian steers	831	2 85
22	Indian steers	1,117	3 50
24	Indian steers	920	3 25
23	Indian steers	932	3 20
11	Indian steers	974	3 37½
15	native cows	982	2 60
22	Texas steers	1,103	3 00
14	Texas cows	730	1 90

HOGS—The market opened slow and a strong 15c lower. Receipts were fairly large, but the demand from all classes during the opening hours was slow, buyers taking hold without life. Later in the day trade picked up and ruled active until about everything had changed hands. The feeling remained weak, however, and prices were unsettled at $3.65@3.80 for mixed packers; best heavy to choice butchers, $3.85@3.90, and Yorkers nominal at $3.70@3.75. There being no shipping orders received.

Representative sales:

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Daily live stock report of sales of hogs, November 22, 1886:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
60	235	$4 05	56	217	$3 85
81	224	3 90	80	206	3 80
50	251	3 75	89	222	3 80
47	230	3 85	50	260	3 80
74	229	3 85	78	210	3 85
66	234	3 90	56	235	4 05
49	220	3 90	52	267	4 00
45	249	4 00	57	229	4 00
22	333	4 00	47	318	4 00
68	248	3 95	51	233	3 90
33	326	3 85			

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
149	221	$3 90	58	243	$3 90
140	239	3 77½	80	249	3 90
63	257	3 90	62	203	3 70
74	240	3 85	73	230	3 85
63	246	3 80	57	280	3 85
65	256	3 87½	57	250	3 85
63	254	3 80	80	264	3 80
151	204	3 75	15	191	3 70
81	237	4 00	66	271	3 85
70	243	3 77½	78	174	3 70
60	205	3 75	70	236	3 75
70	229	3 77½	85	206	3 75
78	266	3 75	56	250	3 90

SHEEP—Good muttons in demand and firm, but low grades slow. Receipts small and but few good among them.

Representative sales:

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Daily live stock report of sales of sheep, November 22, 1886:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
192	82	$2 65	96	97	$3 40
50	82	3 50			

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

No.	Description.	Av.	Price.
96	clipped Texas	98	$2 60

Horses and Mules.

HORSES.

Heavy draft, extra	$140@170
Heavy draft, good	115@130
Streeters, extra	90@110
Streeters, good	75@ 85
Saddlers, extra	125@150
Saddlers, good	90@110
Drivers, extra	130@170
Drivers, good	85@115
Plugs	15@ 40

MULES.

14 hands, 4 to 7 years old	[illegible]
14½ hands, 4 to 7 years old	[illegible]
15 hands, 4 to 7 years old	[illegible]
15½ hands, extra, 4 to 7 years old	[illegible]
15 to 16½ hands, 4 to 7 years old	[illegible]

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, November 22.—Hogs—Receipts, 44,000 head; market active; light, $3.50@3.65; heavy, $3.70@4. Cattle—Receipts, 8,000 head; trading slow; shipping steers, $3.50@4.90; cows, $2@2.90; stockers, $2.10@3.50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,400 head; market slow; common, $2@2.80; good, $3@4.

WEST PHILADELPHIA, November 22.—Cattle unchanged; receipts, 2,700 head. Sheep slow; receipts, 9,000; extra, $4.75; good, $4.25@4.50; medium, $3.50@4; common, $2.50@3.25; lambs, $3.75@6. Hogs in fair demand; receipts, 8,500; quoted at $5.50@6.

STOCK YARDS, KANSAS CITY, November 22.—Official receipts: Cattle, 3,100 head; hogs, 14,400 head. Cattle mostly Texas and Western; there continues to be a good demand for feeders at strong prices; others steady. Hogs lower, $3.60@3.80; bulk, $3.70@3.75.

THE WEATHER.

The Weather Report.

ST. LOUIS, November 22, 1886.

Local Time.	Thermo'r	Wind. Dire'i'n	Wind. Vel'city	Weather.
5:59 a.m.	61.0	SE	13	Sprinkling.
1:59 p.m.	68.0	S	8	Lt. Rain.

Maximum temperature, 68.0.
Minimum temperature, 60.0.
River, 5.5; fall 0.0.

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Sergeant Signal Corps, U. S. A.

Weather Bulletin.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY,
WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22, 1886.

The following observations are taken at 7 a. m., 75th meridian time:

Stations—	Barom.	Therm.	Change in 24 h.	Wind.	Rainfall in 9 h.	State of Weather.
Jacksonville, Fla.	30.09	66	†10	SW	....	Clear.
Vicksburg, Miss.	29.75	70	† 6	S	....	Cloudy.
New Orleans	29.94	67	† 1	SE	....	Clear.
Shreveport, La.	29.76	66	†10	S	....	Cloudy.
Little Rock, Ark.	29.70	68	†13	Calm	*	Cloudy.
Galveston, Tex.	29.81	67	- 1	S	....	Cloudy.
Memphis, Tenn.	29.79	62	†10	S	.20	Cloudy.
Nashville, Tenn.	29.75	60	† 4	SE	.11	Lt. Rain.
Louisville, Ky	29.89	52	† 6	E	.03	Lt. Rain.
Indianapolis, Ind.	29.70	48	† 6	SE	....	Cloudy.
Cincinnati, O.	30.01	46	† 3	SE	.06	Cloudy.
Pittsburg, Pa.	30.14	34	†11	NE	....	Clear.
Marquette, Mich.	30.15	29	† 6	SE	....	Cloudy.
Chicago, Ill.	29.88	43	- 4	E	.07	Lt. Rain.
Duluth, Minn.	29.82	28	† 7	NE	.10	Hy. Snow
St. Paul, Minn.	29.74	32	†18	E	.12	Sleet.
La Crosse, Wis.	29.74	40	†17	E	.16	Cloudy.
Davenport, Io	29.74	41	†11	E	.13	Lt. Rain.
Cairo, Ill.	29.78	60	† 8	SE	.12	Lt. Rain.
St. Louis, Mo.	29.77	61	† 6	SE	.03	Lt. Rain.
Leavenworth, Kan	29.51	61	†29	S	....	Thr't'ng.
Omaha, Neb.	29.44	50	†26	SE	....	Foggy.
Moorhead, Minn.	29.78	26	†15	NE	.15	Hy. Snow
St. Vincent, Minn.	Miss.	..	....	....	....	....
Bismarck, Dak.	Miss.	..	....	....	....	....
Ft. Buford, Dak.	Miss.	..	....	....	....	....
Ft. Assinaboine.	Miss.	..	....	....	....	....
Deadwood, Dak.	Miss.	..	....	....	....	....
North Platte, Neb	Miss.	..	....	....	....	....
Denver, Colo.	29.46	16	- 4	N	....	Clear.
W. Las Animas	29.48	34	†18	W	....	Clear.
Dodge City, Kan.	29.50	44	-17	SW	....	Clear.
Ft. Elliott, Tex.	29.52	54	-10	SW	....	Clear.
El Paso, Tex.	29.71	44	- 3	W	....	Clear.
Salt Lake City	29.73	20	-13	Calm	.34	Cloudy.
San Francisco	29.96	48	...	SW	....	Clear.

Dash (*—) indicates rainfall inappreciable; † indicates rise; - indicates fall.

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Indications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—Indications for twenty-four hours commencing at 3 p. m. to-day:

For Indiana and Illinois—Light rains, cooler; southerly winds shifting to westerly.

For Missouri, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska—Rain or snow, followed by fair, decidedly colder weather; winds shifting to northwesterly.

For Minnesota—Snow, followed by fair, very cold weather; winds shifting to northerly.

The Ohio River will rise slowly below Cincinnati and fall above; the Mississippi will rise slowly below Cairo; the other rivers will remain nearly stationary.

THE RIVER.

Special River Report.

ST. LOUIS, November 22, 1886.

Stations.	Above Low Beach-Mark.	Change. Rise.	Change. Fall.	Rainfall.
St. Louis	5.5 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.05
Kansas City	8.7 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.50
Hermann	2.0 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.04
Peoria	4.0 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.50
Warsaw	0.0 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.00
GrandTower	0.0 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.00
Beardstown	0.0 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.00

*—Rainfall inappreciable.

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Local River Report.

Water..........5 ft. 3 in.

ARRIVALS.

Clyde, Cape Girardeau; Spread Eagle, Grafton; Mattie Belle, Naples: Dalton, St. Genevieve.

DEPARTURES.

Clyde, Cape Girardeau; Mattie Belle, Naples; Spread Eagle, Grafton.

Levee Lore.

Six feet 6 inches at Phillipps and 4½ feet at Mound City bars.

The City of Vicksburg will arrive to-night from Vicksburg.

The City of Florence was aground five hours at Mound City Crossing. She is due to-night.

The wharf boat of the Eagle Packet Company was towed to Alton slough this morning for the winter.

The Charlie Clark, coming after a tow of iron ore for the Upper Ohio, will arrive at day dawn to-morrow.

Capt. Nick Beaver of the Future City arrived from Cairo, where he left his boat, this this morning by rail.

The St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet Company are negotiating for the purchase of the steamer W. H. Cherry.

Off Gray's Landing, above Cairo, the steamer Pearl broke her shaft and both heads of her port cylinder. She awaits repairs.

Instead of going to the bank, as reported, the Bart Linehan returned to Boston Bay for a large fleet of lumber, the last of the season, for Knapp, Stout & Co.

River Telegrams.

WHEELING, November 22.—River 13 feet, falling. Departed: Benton McMillan, 10 a. m. Down: James Brown, R. A. Speed, 9 a. m. Veteran, Ludkeefer, Venture, 10 a. m. Up: Iron Age, 11 a. m. Weather clear and pleasant.

EVANSVILLE, November 22.—River rising; 9 feet. Arrived: Idlewild, Paducah; City of Owensboro, Evansville and Bowling Green.

CAIRO, Ill., November 22.—Departed: City of Florence, St. Louis, 9 a. m.; Charles Clark, St. Louis, 6 a. m.; Gondola, Paducah, 9. River 6 feet 3 inches and rising. Raining and cool.

CINCINNATI, November 22.—River 17 feet 3 inches and rising. Light rain. Thermometer 52. Pittsburg coal fleet reported passing Point Pleasant this morning.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., November 22.—River about stationary; 7 feet 7 inches in the canal; 5 feet 2 inches on the falls. Business dull. Drizzling rain.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., November 22.—River rising. No arrivals or departures. Weather pleasant.

PITTSBURG, November 22.—River 8 feet, falling. Clear and pleasant.

Marine.

NEW YORK, November 22.—Arrived—Steamer Aurania, from Liverpool.

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U. S. MAIL AND BONDED LINE.
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Str. CITY OF PROVIDENCE ...Carvell, Master
Will leave Tuesday, Nov. 23, at 5 p. m.
Packet for Ste. Genevieve, St. Marys, Chester, Wittenburg and Grand Tower.
Str. E. C. ELLIOT ....Lenox, Master
Leaves Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 4 p. m.
D. T. PRATHER, Agent.

St. Louis and Mississippi Valley Transportation Company.
FOR NEW ORLEANS
[illegible] OAKLAND and barges, [illegible] Tuesday, November 23, at 5 p. m.
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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1886.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—Joseph Murphy.
OLYMPIC—Thalia Opera Company.
POPE'S—Salsbury's Troubadours.
PEOPLE'S—"Ivy Leaf."
STANDARD—"Partners in Crime."
PALACE MUSEUM—Daily from 1 p. m. to 10 p. m.

THE anti-pass provisions of the Constitution of Missouri are not dead, but only dormant.

IF St. Louis will work for it, St. Louis will secure a World's Fair in 1892, which will be a world's wonder.

THE reinstatement of Judge DENISON should chasten the zeal of local partisans in the matter of removals.

THE latest rebel outrage was the dedication of a new church in Kentucky on ground given by JEFFERSON DAVIS. Call out the militia!

SPEAKER CARLISLE's address at the Iroquois banquet shows that he has no sympathy with the spoliation of American workingmen wrought through the process of a war tariff.

IF the vacant Bulgarian throne were to be converted into a lemonade-stand and the office of a governing Prince abolished, the affairs of that country might be adjusted on a basis of greater stability.

THE St. Paul Pioneer Press publishes a long article on "the decline of Chicago," but such matter is rather premature with the Chicago Browning Club, CARTER HARRISON, Literary Life and FRANK LAWLER all on deck and flourishing at the same time.

THE Austrian mission still sympathizes with the Bulgarian throne, with no prospect of being filled at an early day. It is suspected that the Austrians would rather have the vacancy prolonged than to take the risks of another appointment of a Minister by Mr. BAYARD.

MR. BLAINE has not yet expressed himself about the published explanation of Senator EDMUNDS' reverberating reticence that attracted so much attention in 1884. A man must be situated for wielding a commanding influence when he achieves mighty results by simply holding his tongue.

THE question of lighting the statue that is to light the world now snugly reposes in the National Circumlocution Office. The matter will have to be settled by referring it to the Lighthouse Board. The President suggested this course; though it was fondly hoped that a matter so interesting to the whole Nation would be settled without the usual routine sluggishness.

IT is rumored that another Republican is to be turned out in St. Louis to make room for a Democrat. If Division Superintendent WARFIELD is to be turned out, sure enough, the natural inference will be that he failed to follow the example of Surveyor LANCASTER and Postmaster HYDE in supporting the Republican nominee for Congress against the Democratic nominee in the Ninth District.

IT has been ascertained that Cincinnati has one saloon to every 124 inhabitants, and one church to every 1,900 inhabitants. For an Ohio town, this looks like a plethora of churches and a scarcity of saloons; but these figures should not discourage the kindly disposed outside world from lending a helping hand till Cincinnati is lifted out of the Slough of Despond and started on a new career of moral elevation.

THE failure of prohibition everywhere, after so many legal expedients for making it effective have been tried in vain, has convinced most temperance men that high license with strict regulation is the most promising method of dealing with the evils of the liquor traffic. But it is being demonstrated that there is a limit to the availability of this remedy, and that the attempt to impose a license tax heavier than the traffic can bear is as ineffectual as absolute prohibition. Some such attempt in the city of Springfield, Mass., resulted in the formation of fifty-three drinking clubs that rent their own club rooms, lay in their own liquors and dispense the same to their members, without leave or license from State or municipality. Being private establishments, and not houses of public entertainment open to police visitation and regulation, it is charged that these club rooms sell liquor at all hours of the day or night and on Sundays, and as their stewards claim a membership of 10,407, it is plain that they are doing a business of which the few licensed saloons may well be envious. It is proposed to supplement the license law with some anti-liquor club legislation as the only means of making the law effective. But the original error probably was in making the license law too restrictive and prohibitory.

FREE PASSES.

Asking for the abolition of the free pass system in Missouri is asking for the abolition of a corruption fund of one or two million dollars which is raised by an addition to the charges of those who pay their way, and which is paid to influence men in public positions to render services which they would not voluntarily render to railroads.

There is not a free pass issued to convention delegates, to members of the Legislature, to State or municipal officers or to their families or constituents, that is not issued upon a clear understanding that the railroad is thereby securing something worth more than the money value of the pass. It was shown in the Pennsylvania Constitutional Convention that the passes issued on account of members of the Legislature in that State in one year averaged about $14,000 each. It is therefore asking a great deal of the members of the Missouri Legislature to ask them to make it a penal offense for one of their members or any State or municipal officer to accept a pass, or for any railroad official to issue a free pass to any such member or to any State or municipal officer, or to the family or constituents of such member or officer, with his knowledge or consent.

But no matter how heavy a loss the abolition of the free-pass corruption system would be to members of the Legislature, they must not be permitted to forget that they were, one and all, elected on distinct pledges that they would enact laws for the effective enforcement of all the provisions of the railroad chapter of the State Constitution. Moreover they cannot be members of the State Legislature without taking a solemn oath to respect and obey all the mandates of that Constitution. To take that oath and fail to provide severe penalties against the issue and acceptance of the forbidden passes is to wilfully disregard one of the most sacred obligations that can be incurred in taking an official oath.

EDUCATION AND CRIME.

Massachusetts' statistics rank high as reliable data, but they tell a bad story about the tendency of her native population to commit crimes, and that this tendency is increasing at a fearful ratio in spite of the vaunted superiority of her school system. In this connection the Andover Review collates some statistics that are rather surprising. With a total population of 994,514 in 1850, Massachusetts had 1,236 prison inmates, or one convicted criminal for every 804 inhabitants. With a total population of 1,783,085 in 1880 she had 3,659 prison inmates, or one criminal to every 487 inhabitants. Her native population in 1850 was 827,430, and of these 653 were convicts, or one in every 1,267. In 1880 she had 1,339,549 native inhabitants, of whom 2,175, or one in every 615, were convicts. This increasing ratio of criminals is obviously attributable to the increasing density of population, increasing the intensity of the struggle for existence and actually crowding a larger proportion into prison. The figures show only that an admirable system of free education has failed to arrest the increasing ratio of criminals. There are no data from which we can fairly infer what effect public education has had upon this ratio.

CONFLICTING VIEWS.

"I am a Protectionist from the crown of my head to the soles of my feet," says Mr. POWDERLY.

"I am a Free Trader, pure and absolute, and regard protection as a fraud "on workingmen," says Mr. HENRY GEORGE.

The above antithetical observations are recalled by the report that delegations of workingmen, headed by Messrs. POWDERLY and GEORGE, will soon wait upon the President and urge him call an extra session of the Fiftieth Congress to consider legislation in the interest of workingmen.

It will be generally conceded that all tariff legislation will directly concern the workingmen just as it will concern all other people; and when representatives of workingmen recommend Congressional legislation it is fair to presume that such a recommendation would cover tariff legislation of some kind. But how could Messrs. GEORGE and POWDERLY unite in urging any kind of a tariff scheme, while each one believes in a tariff theory which the other repudiates as outrageous and unjust to workingmen? There are thousands of people who profess unlimited confidence in both of these eminent and worthy citizens; but if a National Labor party should ever materialize, would Mr. GEORGE or Mr. POWDERLY be called upon to frame the tariff plank?

IF the Comptroller of the Treasury has, as reported, made the discovery that Hon. S. S. Cox is legally entitled to draw one salary as Minister to Turkey up to the date of his resignation, October 21, and to draw another salary as a Member of Congress from April 10, because he was elected in November to fill out a vacancy which began on the 10th of April, then the said discovery merely shows that there has been some very loose legislation on the subject of salaries. A mere technical permission to draw two salaries in such a case cannot alter the fact that such drawing would be simply stealing.

THE Tennessee voters don't believe in the three majority business.

MUNKACSY doesn't speak English, but he paints fluently in several languages.

BE sure that the people don't know you are wrong; then go ahead.—[Amended aphorism.

A PETRIFIED Indian has been discovered in Montana. He is the only Indian Prohibitionist in the country.

THE BROAD AXE is a paper published by a Pittsburg negro. The hew of the Broad Axe may be imagined.

THE magazines will now trot out their Christmas poems written by sweltering bards during the heat of last summer.

THE new Scribner's magazine should take up the Revolutionary war. The subsequent conflicts are too full of "chestnuts."

THE only thing that can justify a filibustering expedition against Mexico is the chance of thereby establishing better order in that country.

COMMODORE ISAAC N. BROWN has a paper on the Confederate navy. Hasty readers must not take it for a description of the present United States navy.

COUNT VON MOLTKE visits his wife's tomb every morning. This plan imposes too violent exercise when a man has several widely separated tombs to visit.

THE next man that mounts the Bulgarian throne should immediately collect his salary for the next ten years. Such a plan would get the bulge on an uncertain situation.

The Best Governed City.

New York Special to Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

The first city in America to apply the principle, that a Mayor of a city should be a business man, or that the Government of a city should be a business government purely, was Nashville, Tenn. The citizens of that city set about to eliminate politics, as a working and controlling factor, from their municipal government. They succeeded, and Nashville to-day is the best regulated city in the United States.

There are no wards or ward politicians in Nashville. In a general election a Council is chosen and the duty of the Council is to select three men to have control of all the affairs of the city. These men are chosen without regard to politics, they are well paid, and are allowed to have no other business.

The consequences to Nashville of this business arrangement have been wonderful. Taxes have been reduced to a minimum, while at the same time miles of pavements have been laid, new streets opened, bridges built and public improvements of all kinds inaugurated and pushed. The three men who conduct the affairs of Nashville are well paid for their services. They have every human inducement to devote themselves to the interests of the city. There is no Council and no Board of Aldermen to buy up. The eyes of all Nashville are upon those three men.

There political favoritism and theory are subordinated to practical business principle, and the result is most satisfactory and salutary.

The Party of the Poor.

From the Indianapolis Sentinel (Dem.).

Editor Pulitzer of the New York WORLD has given to the editor of a Boston paper his opinion as to what President Cleveland should do to give the Democratic party the victory in 1888. Mr. Pulitzer, with Mr. George's phenomenal race fresh in mind, believes the President should proceed vigorously to assure the laboring men of the country that the Democratic party is strongly in sympathy with them and actively working in their behalf. He recommends that the President make it clear that he and his party are sharply opposed to legislation favoring corporate monopoly to the injury of workingmen. Mr. Pulitzer is right. The Democratic party has always been, as he says, "the party of the poor." The Democratic Houses of the Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth Congresses did much in the interest of labor, passing all the bills the labor interest of the country demanded. The President has now a fine opportunity to emphasize the fact that the hope of the laboring men lies in the success of the Democratic party. He can do this in the annual message, upon the preparation of which he is now engaged.

Chicago Literary Notes.

From the Chicago News.

Mr. T. Arthur Boyden, assistant book-keeper in Fairbank's lard refinery, has returned from a two weeks' vacation which he spent in Cambridge, Mass., the home of J. R. Lowell, author of the "Biglow Papers."

Dwight G. Cutler, the well-known pool-seller, has named his roan pacer after Walt Whitman, the popular poet.

John F. Briggs, Secretary of the Browning Club, is in San Francisco, having gone thither to witness the meeting between Messrs. Sullivan and Ryan.

While in London recently, Mr. Enos Bliss, general foreign representative of Armour's hams, had the honor of meeting and shaking hands with Louis Stevenson, the popular young novelist.

"How to Draw" is a dainty little holiday brochure which will be highly prized by our artistic public. It is from the pen of Mr. William Higgins, who brought to the task of compiling this work an experience of twelve years in Chicago's leading poker-rooms.

Newspaper Cheerybles.

From the New York Graphic.

George W. Childs says that he thinks the New York WORLD is making over $500,000 and can be made to clear over $1,000,000 per annum if Mr. Pulitzer should continue to boom it and somewhat curtail its expenses. Mr. Pulitzer has given Mr. Childs authority to divide with him any charities or donations which he thinks deserving. Should Mr. Childs be as generous in this respect in the future as he has been in the past Mr. Pulitzer will find a way to get rid of a large part of his income very rapidly.

THE METROPOLITAN PRESS.

What the Editors of the New York Journals Are Saying This Morning.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, November 22.—The WORLD says: "The absurdity of the theory that no officer in the public service must be allowed the right of free speech, secured to him by the Constitution, which was strikingly illustrated in the correspondence relating to the New Mexico election, is now emphasized by the removal of United States District Attorney Benton of Missouri, and his sudden and swift restoration to office on a Presidential second thought."

THE SUN.

The Sun says: "The executive mandate closing the grounds of the White House to the general public in order that the President and Mrs. Cleveland may take daily out-door exercise without being annoyed by inquisitive sight-seers, is wise and proper. No public-spirited citizen will object to it, no man of family will find fault with it; no sage woman will fail to approve it."

THE TRIBUNE.

The Tribune says: "A particularly lively struggle over the election of a United States Senator may be expected in New Jersey this winter. The late recounts of ballots in close districts have been finished and the Legislature is composed of thirty-nine Democrats, thirty-nine Republicans and two labor representatives. If Walter goes in from the disputed Mercer County District the bourbons will have a plurality on a joint vote or a majority if either of the labor men joins them. It is not likely, however, that any Democratic candidate will be loved to the point of loyal support by all the Democratic members, and when the contest comes no end of sport will be enjoyed by the Republicans."

THE TIMES.

The Times says: "The work of reorganizing the Navy Department on business principles, to which Secretary Whitney addressed himself more than a year ago, and which was delayed from a variety of causes, has now at last begun. Its first step is the appointment of Pay-Director James Fulton to be Paymaster-General, and the great enlargement of his official functions as the head of the pay corps, as also chief of the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing in the navy, and it will be remembered that the abuses which resulted in the suspension of Paymaster-General Smith grew out of this very business. But the Bureau, as reorganized, will buy and distribute all the supplies now bought and distributed by individual bureaus. We believe that while other candidates had claims of seniority, no one questions that Garrett nor Fulton, who was fourth on the list, will be a competent chief."

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

School Defects.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Knowing your paper takes an interest in all home institutions, I beg to call your attention to the present government of the public schools of our city.

First, arithmetic is made the chief study in the lower grades; no matter if the pupil knows nothing of grammar, history, spelling or geography, so he or she are good arithmeticians, they can always be advanced to a higher grade at examinations, should they make a good average in arithmetic. In consequence the most important part of a child's education is neglected.

Secondly, Latin is a dead language and only useful to professional people as physicians, druggists, etc. Why is the study impressed so forcibly in the Polytechnic and Central High Schools? Instead of Latin why do not our city school Solons form classes in stenography, telegraphy and book-keeping?

Thirdly. Why are school books changed once a year? Why is it not in St. Louis as in other cities, books on a uniform plan the same year after year?

It keeps a person poor in these hard times buying school-books. What does a pupil retain by changing books once a year as every writer has his own method? In the last four or five years there have been from fifteen to twenty changes in various readers, grammars, spelling books, etc. What explanation can the school authorities give the public for this mismanagement? I should like to hear from others on this subject, as the mismanagement of public schools is a shame and an outrage on the community at large. MORCEAUX.

The Fish Chestnut.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Will you please answer through your valuable paper the following question:

Will 20 gallons of water, with a live fish weighing 5 pounds in it, weigh more, or less, than the water itself? If so, how much?

The decision is left to your valuable paper. Same will oblige many constant readers in De Soto, Jefferson County, Mo.

De Soto, Mo., November 20, 1886.

[Good readers in De Soto, pause and reflect. Does water weigh more when the weight of a fish is added to it? Did Mark Twain's Jumping Frog weigh more with the shot in his stomach than ere he had fed on that innutritious diet? Does a load of coal weigh more when the driver is weighed with the load? If not, why is this the coal dealer's way? Does a man weigh any more if he puts on his overcoat before stepping on the scales? Would he weigh still more with six milk punches inside of him? Is gravity a universal principle of nature, or is it only an occasional accident, which is suspended in the case of a swimming fish and resumed in the case of a jumping frog? Go to, Constant Readers. Go back to the chronicles of the Flood and read how Noah smote Japhet a stinger when the irreverent youth challenged him to declare whether the ark weighed more with the elephants on board than without them.—EDITOR POST-DISPATCH.]

Bond Buying.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Why the constant repetition by public speakers and the press that the time will soon come when the surplus in the United States Treasury cannot be used to redeem bonds? Can not the Government buy bonds at a premium as well as an individual. S. S. STILL.

Maryville, Mo., November 17, 1876.

[A little reflection will suggest natural reasons why it is inadvisable that the Government should appear in the market as a purchaser of bonds at a premium. The principal reason is that the appearance of the Government as a purchaser necessarily on a large scale to make purchases ordered by law would artificially enhance the premium on the bonds and thus defeat the proposed saving of money to the Government, which would be the only object of the purchase.—ED. POST-DISPATCH.]

One Who Saw Lola Montez.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In answer to Subscriber in your issue of the 20th inst., Lola Montez, "Countess of Landsfeldt," danced the "Spider dance" in the old St. Louis Theater on Pine street, in the winter of 1856 or 1857. The writer saw her dance it.

Yours, W. C. WILLIAMS.

Maryville, Mo., November 21, 1886.

An Airy Road.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

For the benefit of a stranger please publish the route of the proposed Tucker Elevated railroad.

[The road you refer to begins in the fertile and prolific brain of O. D. Tucker, runs diagonally through the House of Delegates, crosses over several public rights, and will either tunnel under the Council or get around it to reach its terminus in a veto from the Mayor. As soon as this road is finished (in this way) Tucker will start another one. ED. POST-DISPATCH.]

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

J. E. S.—The origin of the invention of glass is not accurately known.

E. J. B.—A contract made on Sunday is legal and binding upon the parties in Missouri.

CONSTANT READER.—Pittsburg, second, beat Brooklyn, third, four games in the Association race.

A READER.—The rules made at Chicago govern all clubs in the National agreement, Association included.

SUBSCRIBER.—An old theater-goer signing the initials S. H. asserts that Lola Montez appeared for two weeks in this city at DeBar's theater on Pine street. The answer given to your question on Saturday is incorrect, according to S. H.

They Call Her Father "Crazy Horse."

From the Scranton (Pa.) Truth.

The little daughter of Senator and Mrs. Van Wyck, now 3 or 4 years old, has an odd name, Happy New Year Van Wyck. She was born on the first day of the year, and the Senator wished to commemorate the occasion by giving her a name suggestive of it.

Handwriting Experts.

From the Detroit Free Press.

Experts in chirography are no longer considered of much account in a court case. It is an avowed fact that two out of about every 100 people write so near alike that one hand is a forgery of the other.

MR. W. C. STEIGERS
Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 556.

GOTHAM'S MYSTERY.

A WOULD-BE SUICIDE INHERITS A VAST FORTUNE.

The Strange Romance of George W. Hersey's Attempt Upon His Life—Large Sums of Money Furnished the Wounded Man by Some Unknown Person Through the Medium of a Detective.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, November 22.—On October 16 last, the sharp report of a pistol in room 214 of the Park Avenue Hotel brought a rush of employes to the spot. They found George W. Hersey, who had registered on the previous day as from New York, alone in the room with a pistol of the British bull-dog fashion in his right hand, and a bullet hole clear through the thorax. The ball had entered just below the left nipple, had escaped the heart as by a miracle, and had cut a channel through the lung and the chest cavity. It looked like a clear case of attempt at suicide and so everybody regarded it. The wounded man was taken to Bellevue Hospital. He was placed in ward No. 4, under the care of Dr. J. C. Clarke, and was soon under the influence of opiates and subsisting upon a diet of cracked ice. It was a case which promised one chance of success against a hundred of failure. Dr. Clarke and Dr. Stimson, who came as visiting surgeons, were particularly anxious to make a noteworthy case of it by saving the man's life. He was a tractable patient and seemed to be very desirous of living. The next morning a note of the occurrence appeared in the papers and by 11 o'clock Detective Price from the Twenty-ninth Precinct Police Station was at the hospital insisting that Hersey should be arrested and put into the "cage," a strongly built place with iron bars at the extreme northwestern end of the upper ward.

"But it will be almost certain death now to move the man. His life depends upon his remaining in one position, and besides the foul air of the cage will be almost certain to bring on complications of a pulmonary sort, and then the patient is gone," said Dr. Clarke.

This he thought insured the patient remaining in the lower ward, and the doctor turned to other duties, only to find an hour later that the man had been carried, bed and all, up to the cage, and was

ALREADY WHEEZING THERE.

When, during the afternoon, Dr. Stimson arrived, there was a scene, and the patient went down to the surgeon's ward upon the assurance that the physician would be personally responsible for his appearance when wanted. The man was then given the best of care and nourishment. He was a short, thick-set man of 40 years, weighing about 185 pounds, and the doctors took full notes of the wonderful case which was going on under their care. He was not talkative, but was apparently of good family, though inclined to talk much of money, assuring those about him that any favors received would be remembered by good checks as soon as he could hear from friends. He was from Boston and it came out that for some days preceding the shooting Hersey had been on a spree and had lost several thousand dollars, leaving him penniless. His valuables deposited in the hospital safe consisted of a pair of shirt-studs and a pair of cuff-buttons. He insisted that there was no intent of suicide, that he was looking at the pistol when it went off. A fortnight ago Detective Pryor from the Fifth Avenue Hotel appeared at the hospital and saw the wounded man and the interview had a very favorable effect upon him. On leaving Mr. Pryor said to Dr. Clarke that there must be no stinting of delicacies or anything else which could bring about the hasty recovery of the patient, that he was a man of wealth and that whoever rendered any favors would be well remembered.

"I have left him a little change," said the detective, as he left. "I gave him," said the detective, last evening, "$450 at that first visit. I got the money from a certain party in the city by whom I was employed to take the money to the sick man. I did not know him and had never seen him before, but I was told to give him all the money he wished. As I understood it on the day after he shot himself some relative died at some out-of-town place and the man Hersey was backed by a couple of million dollars, which he was to have as soon as the matters of the estate could be fixed up. I went several times to see Hersey after that and found him a very clever gentleman. He was accustomed to good living, so I told them to let him have the best of care and provisions. I left him at another visit $500 and other sums at other visits, in all $1,500, taking receipts for it. On my last visit on Friday I found him in the 'cage,' a cold place, well named. Then his diet was cut down and it looked as though some one had found out that he had money and was putting him through the sweating process. I don't know that anything of the sort was done, but anybody can draw his own conclusions. He was to have come to court for his discharge on Saturday, but we waited all day, lawyers and all, and now we are told that somebody had telephoned to the Nineteenth Street Station of the Twenty-ninth Precinct that the man was not well enough to go to court. Another very curious thing is that on Friday last I left the card of Lawyer Racey, whom I had engaged by direction of the lawyer in charge of the estate to clear Hersey of the suicide complaint. This card I asked should be sent up at once to Hersey. On Saturday we inquired and were told that it had been handed him. Hersey yesterday says that an attendant gave him the card this morning just before leaving for court."

A SHAMEFUL ROBBERY.

"When I returned to the hotel this morning," continued Detective Pryor, "I found Hersey here. He had just come up from the court, and when he had left had paid $1.50 for the cab; he had then just 25 cents left and told me he was faint and wanted money to get his breakfast. I gave him $500, and he started out to get a bite. Now bear in mind, he has had $1,300 within the past two weeks or so and has been under hospital or police care up to that time he reached the hotel."

"Did you ask him where the money had gone?"

"He did not say more than that he had only a quarter and wanted money to get his breakfast."

Later in the evening Detective Pryor said he had met the Buffalo lawyer who was to come on to settle the matter of the millions, which had fallen to Hersey during his illness. Who the lawyer was, who the rich relative was or anything would not be divulged, but from the Buffalo lawyer came the message, "D—n the reporter, the hospital, and any story which may be printed. I have come on to attend to business and I don't care a d——n what the papers say."

Hersey and the Buffaloan were in consultation last evening, and up to the time of meeting of the lawyer Hersey stated to his agent, Pryor, that he had no idea who was his benefactor, or from whom the legacy was coming. The wounded man had not taken rooms in any hotel, and after his discharge early in the forenoon had knocked about town in a lively fashion. The whole case is one of the most mysterious which had ever come under the Bellevue blotters. The doctors remembered the case because of the surgical novelty, while in other quarters there was a great deal of nervousness shown when the case was mentioned. Hersey will remain as a private patient of Dr. Stimson until completely cured. He is now safe, except in case exposure should bring on lung trouble.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

Items of Interest Gathered in the City Across the River.

William Saunders, the workman who was seriously injured yesterday afternoon by the falling of a pile-driver used in the construction of the new bridge over the Cahokia Creek at the Broadway crossing, is still in a precarious condition. Dr. Wiggins, who attended him after the accident, held a consultation with Dr. Mudd of St. Louis this afternoon to decide upon the advisability of removing the patient to St. Luke's Hospital.

Much disappointment was felt here yesterday at the failure of the Salvation Army to invest the city. No word was received this morning assigning a reason why the Army did not come, but as Mr. Flannigen's Hall has been leased for a year by the Salvationists it is reasonably certain that they will arrive this evening or to-morrow.

Buckland and Pallen have submitted a proposition to the Freeman Wire Company of St. Louis, for the purchase of land opposite the Todd Manufacturing Company's works. In case the terms are satisfactory the company will locate its works here.

The Jubilee Mission at St. Henry's ended yesterday, and 1,200 people partook of the sacrament. Father Schlegel of Edwardsville and Kaender of Venice by whom the mission was conducted left for their homes to-day.

The City Council will meet to-morrow, and the question of erecting a bridge over the railroad tracks on Broadway will come up for final consideration.

LABOR NEWS.

A Lively Contest Between Socialists and Their Opponents in Chicago.

CHICAGO, November 22.—The Chicago Society of Socialists met yesterday and considered the proposed establishment in this city of a "co-operative packing and provision company." The following was adopted, after a tedious wrangle:

Resolved, That we unhesitatingly declare that the co-operative scheme is impracticable and is doomed to certain failure, and we hold ourselves ready to prove the truth of this statement in a public meeting, to be called for the purpose, and that we urgently request all persons who may have signed for shares in this company to withhold the payment of any assessment that may be called for until a committee composed of Frank A. Stauber, C. G. Dixon, M. J. Butler, Charles Seib and R. C. Owens shall have investigated the truth or falsity of information we possess.

M. J. Butler is the Master Workman of District Assembly No. 57, Knights of Labor. He was the Socialists' candidate for Sheriff in the recent election. It was by his orders that the strike at the stock yards was inaugurated recently. The other members of the committee are Socialistic politicians.

An Anti-Socialist Victory.

CHICAGO, November 22.—Over fifty new delegates took their seats in the Trades Assembly yesterday. This almost completely changed the aspect of the assembly and made it look almost like a new organization. After the routine of business had been disposed of, William F. Tomson, a member of the Executive Committee of the Federal Trades of the United States and Canada, gave notice that the first congress of the federation meets in Columbus, O., December 7, and the Trades Assembly was entitled to one delegate. He moved that the Assembly proceed to elect a delegate. Mr. Tomson's bitter opponent, George Schilling, immediately objected. He wanted a special notice of the proposed action to be given the various organizations so that their delegates might be present, and, if necessary, a special meeting of the Assembly held. Thomas E. Randall opposed sending a delegate at all, as he did not think the past history of the Federation warranted the expense. President Rowan warmly defended the Federation and cited the eight-hour movement as a sufficient reason for its existence and support. Both Randall's and Schilling's objections were voted down, and at least a dozen nominations for the honor were made. All withdrew, however, except George Schilling and Edward Mulvaney, and the Assembly settled down to await the result of the long-continued fight between the Socialistic and anti-Socialistic elements. The latter was successful. Mulvaney received 76 votes to 52 for Schilling. The announcement of the result was received with the heartiest applause.

Trial of Socialists and Boycotters.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., November 22.—The trials of Socialists, rioters and boycotters, whose indictment by a Grand-jury and subsequent arrest and examination soon after the labor troubles of last May attracted no little attention, will be taken up in the Municipal Court next Wednesday, the Supreme Court having decided that Judge Sloan can be called from his circuit here to conduct them. The several cases promise to be very interesting, particularly that of Paul Grottkau, the Socialistic editor. Several meetings have recently been held by the Central Labor Union, of which Grottkau is the recognized chieftain, and the members thereof have exerted themselves in every possible manner to aid their leader.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.

Death of the Distinguished Citizen of Massachusetts—A Busy Life.

BOSTON, Mass., November 22.—Hon. Chas. Francis Adams, Sr., died yesterday at his residence in this city. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from the Congregational Church at Quincy.

For the past ten years Mr. Adams has been gradually failing in mental and physical powers owing to the overtaxing of his brain in his literary work. Although those most intimately acquainted with the venerable statesman were able to detect symptoms of mental weakness, he was until the last the same dignified and quiet gentleman, taking but little interest in what went on about him. He would respond to the greetings addressed to him, but for the past two years he has been unable to identify any member of his family except his wife. Nothing roused him except an occasional burst of merriment in his presence when he would join sympathetically in the general laughter.

The outward effect of his infirmity was simply

COMPLETE RETICENCE.

Since he was made the victim of sharpers four years ago, he was always accompanied by an attendant. He was last out of doors ten days ago, when he came from his home in Quincy to his winter residence in Boston. His death was due to a slight fever, which, in his enfeebled condition, he could not withstand. His life left him like a candle's flame before a breath of air. Charles Francis Adams was the only child of John Quincy Adams (sixth President). He was born in Boston, August 18, 1807. His early education was received in Europe. He graduated from Harvard College in 1825 and studied law with Daniel Webster. He served in the Massachusetts Legislature and was the Free-soil candidate for Vice-President in 1848. In 1858 he was elected to Congress and in 1861 was appointed Minister to England by President Lincoln.

He was one of the board of arbitration to settle American claims against England, growing out of the civil war. His principal literary work was the editing of his grandfather's collected writings in ten volumes.

His wife, who survives him, was the daughter of the late Peter C. Brooks of Medford. He married her fifty-eight years ago, and by her had five sons and two daughters. Two died. Those living are Hon. John Quincy, Hon. Charles Francis, Jr., Henry Brooks and Mary, the latter the wife of Dr. Quincy Dedham.

Before Judge Harvey.

Charles Betzolt had an examination in the Court of Criminal Correction on a charge of stealing a certificate of deposit for $100 in the Mullanphy Bank, from Nicholas Mueller, and was held for the Grand-jury in the sum of $1,500 to answer to a charge of attempted fraud.

John Grimes was tried on a charge of stealing a velocipede valued at $5 from Mrs. L. McBride, and was discharged.

John Bowman, charged with breaking into Thomas McGrath's residence, 3740 Chouteau avenue, and stealing a coat and a pair of pants valued at $20, had an examination and was held for the Grand-jury in the sum of $800 to answer to a charge of burglary and larceny.

The case of wife abandonment against Fred Brinkman was discontinued for want of prosecution.

Morris Levy was held in the sum of $800 to answer to a charge of stealing $20 in cash and two pawn tickets valued at $15 from Paul Petzhold.

William Ryan and Henry Ahern were arraigned on a charge of stealing a $2-pair of shoes from John Greemer. Ryan pleaded guilty and was sent to the Work-house for three months and Ahern was tried and discharged.

Fred Moser was fined $75 for maliciously destroying a $200 mirror belonging to John Hof.

Henry W. Hartmann was fined $100 for assaulting August Fehrenweg.

It Cost Him $15.

Charles Socwell of Decatur, Ill., arrived in this city this morning looking for a situation. In his wanderings he met an accommodating gentleman who called himself Sam'l Stevens and who hailed from Kansas City. He very kindly promised Mr. Socwell a position in the Kansas City stock-yards, after which he borrowed $15 from his confiding friend, leaving with him as security a cheque for $15 on the Kansas City National Bank. When Officer Tom Allen struck Mr. Sockwell he was standing at the corner of Fourth and Pine streets and the idea that just began to filter through his mind was that the check might not be good. The officer informed him that that was possibly so. Mr. Stevens is described as a man of about 35 years of age, light hair and mustache and wrinkled countenance.

MINISTERS' MEETINGS.

The Methodists Adopt Resolutions—A Revivalist's Talk—Notes.

The Methodist ministers were so pleased with the anniversary exercises that they induced Drs. Stowe of Chicago and Liebhart of Cincinnati who visited them to give them a talk on the work of the Sunday-school Union and Tract Society, which they both declared had done much good. Other visitors were Rev. I. J. K. Lunbeck, Rev. W. W. Smith of Beria, O., the teachers, and Rev. Mr. Woermanof. The meeting adopted two sets of resolutions. One expressed thanks to Manager Pye of the Book Concern for the larger quarters he had fitted up so nicely for them on the second floor. The other tendered sympathy to Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Felton, the father of the latter having died last week in Ohio.

The Baptists were treated to a sermon by Rev. George Kline of Belleville on "Joyless Christians." Dr. Boyd's services this week at Water Tower Church, were announced. The meeting was not largely attended, Dr. Boyd being absent, Dr. Williams being at Mexico, where the State Mission Board meets to-day, and the other pastors being detained at home.

The Christian pastors were all present at their meeting this morning, except Rev. W. Dowling who ran a nail into his foot yesterday and is laid up. Most of the time was taken up by Rev. J. M. Canfield, the evangelist now at the North Church, with a talk on his experience and methods in "Protracted Meetings." The subject was then informally discussed by the others. The meetings will continue at the North Church every evening this week, which will probably close Mr. Canfield's work there.

Dr. Hill, in the absence of the Presiding Elder, presided over the Southern Methodists' gathering. Nothing but reports was considered. The churches reported additions yesterday and good audiences. Dr. Hammond announced that protracted services will be held at the First Church every night this week. The Mysonheimer revival still continues at St. Paul's, but no special report was heard from it.

The Presbyterian pastors adopted a resolution inviting Dr. John Gillespie of the Foreign Mission Board to be present in the city in the interest of the board the second Sunday in January. Dr. Cattell of the Board of Ministerial Relief was announced to be here next month.

Notes.

Temple Israel was admitted into the Mt. Sinai Cemetery Association yesterday, after a controversy running over several weeks. This is taken as a measure of the new congregation's strength.

Rev. George P. Wilson's theme at the Thanksgiving service Thursday morning at Lafayette Park Presbyterian Church will be, "God's Providence in the Nation's History."

Thursday evening Memorial Tabernacle will have a special prayer and praise service.

Rev. W. H. Assheton arrived unexpectedly yesterday and held service at St. Mark's Memorial Church last evening. He looked in good health and expressed himself as glad to get back. He is temporarily residing with Mr. Gaius Paddock.

DISASTROUS LAKE STORMS.

The Recent Loss of Life and Destruction of Shipping.

CHICAGO, November 22.—The terrible gale that raged with unabated fury for three days last week was one of the most disastrous storms that have swept the lakes in many years. Thirty-six vessels either foundered or were driven ashore, and there are several vessels that are missing. Eleven have gone to pieces or have been burned beyond recovery, and it is believed that quite a number that are now on the beach will prove a total loss. The loss of life is appalling. Forty-seven persons are known to have perished, and the crew of the unknown steam barge that went down off Burnham's Pier has not been heard from. If they are lost the list will be swelled to nearly sixty. The loss in dollars and cents on nine of the eleven vessels that have gone to pieces aggregates $133,000, but the partial losses will bring the amount up to fully $400,000. This estimate is not so large as some that h[illegible] been printed, but is probably more accur[illegible]. The aggregate tonnage that has been wi[illegible] out of existence will not exceed 6,000 tons.

A Barge Burned.

MARQUETTE, Mich., November 22.—Ill-fate seems to pursue the stranded steam barge Robert Wallace. While the watch and the crew of the David Wallace, who had been making the barge ready for the steam pumps were on board the schooner for dinner the barge took fire, and by the time the crew could get there the flames were well started and they could not get them under control. The harbor tug Gilbert at once started across the bay, four miles, with Capt. Brown aboard. When she reached the Wallace, flames were bursting from her side. The tug poured water on the flames for hours until the fire was entirely out. The whole of her upper works forward were swept away to the rail, and the rail was also damaged. Capt. Brown says the damage is more serious than the mere financial loss, as it leaves the barge without any defense against the sea. She is heading into the lake and her high upper-works saved her in the storm. If another should come up there is nothing to prevent the seas sweeping her with full force. The fire started from a coal stove in the hallways between the captain's cabin and mate's room. Articles were being dried there, and it is supposed either the stove exploded or something was placed too near it. Three steam-pumps have arrived from Detroit on a special train and the work of pumping out the barge will be commenced to-day.

THE HUSBAND WEAKENED.

Mrs. Annie A. Jones Must Leave Town Before Sunday.

Annie A. Jones was before Judge Cady this morning on a charge of disturbing the peace of her husband, a compositor on the Westliche Post, with the plain, every-day name of Thomas Jones. They were married three years ago, but after leading a rather infelicitous existence they separated a few months ago, Jones going to live at 115 South Seventh street. Last night she wearied of single blessedness and paid a visit to the former object of her affections and broke up everything in the house. She wound up by throwing a huge stone at him. She claimed in court this morning that he contributed nothing to her support, and he claimed that she was given to drink. Judge Cady fined her $25. Thereupon she burst into tears and cried for Thomas to forgive her.

"Well, I'm willing if the Judge is," said Tom.

The husband then told his Honor that he would buy his wife a ticket to Indianapolis, from whence she came, if the Court was willing to grant her a stay. Tom had received his week's pay Saturday so he was broke to-day, but promised to buy her a ticket next Saturday. She was given until next Sunday to leave the city.

WENT TO THE WORK-HOUSE.

Young Gus Rogers With a Penchant for Running Bills.

In the Court of Criminal Correction to-day Gus Rogers pleaded guilty to the larceny of two pairs of gaiters valued at $7 from Henry B. Schroeder of Franklin avenue, and was sent to the Work-house for one year. Two other cases of petit larceny against him were continued generally. In one case he was charged with stealing a silver watch valued at $15 from D. J. Keller of 103 North Broadway, and in the other with the larceny of $33 worth of furnishing goods and clothing from Solomon Marx of No. 1029 Franklin avenue. Rogers is the young man who purchased goods at various stores and had them sent down to N. O. Nelson & Co.'s, representing that his father was foreman at the place. When the clerk would reach the store with the goods, Rogers would relieve him of them and, telling the fellow to wait a minute until he summoned his father, would "give him the slip" and make off with the goods.

Want a License.

Superintendent Alfred Carr of the Insurance Department received an application to-day from the Grand Rapids (Mich.) Fire Insurance Company for a license to do business in Missouri. A statement is presented of the company's affairs, and if they are satisfactory the license will be issued. The company's capital stock is $200,000.

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A MAD MANAGER.

MR. STROMBERG ON THE MAROONS' POSITION IN THE LEAGUE.

Watkins Anxious to Join the Association—An Expert's Opinion of the New Rules—McCaffrey and Golden—Maud S. to Be Driven in a Sleigh—Base-Ball Notes—Sports of All Sorts.

"There is one matter," said President Stromberg of the Maroons, this morning, "that I would like to have clearly set forth, in connection with our standing in the League. It is in reference to the false and utterly groundless reports which were circulated the day of our arrival at Chicago, reflecting upon our purposes and plans in regard to the future of the Maroons. We went to the League meeting prepared to hold our own, and practically demonstrated our ability in this direction. We not only succeeded in this, but after the morning of the first day were treated splendidly by the representatives of the different clubs and the League officials. There was not the first semblance of truth in the report that we were asked to resign. On the contrary, not a word was said either officially or unofficially concerning our standing in or out of the League. Of course the usual rumor-monger attempted to get his work in on our club, but he was summarily sat down on and hurriedly took his departure. The attorney of the Maroons, Mr. Thos. A. Russell, made the speech of the convention in his advocacy of Sunday game privileges, which was granted unanimously. After Mr. Russell's speech the delegates became very cordial and extended the hand of good fellowship even more heartily than before. Soden of Boston was the last and hardest man to convince on the justice of our claims, but even he gave way under the force and battery of Russell's strong argument. Probably you don't think there is money in Sunday games with outside clubs? Well, let me tell you, with no other attraction on Sunday the base ball loving public would gladly see the best clubs of the Southern, Western, Northwestern and other outside clubs play the Maroons. The privilege is certainly worth $5,000 for the season to us."

Mr. Stromberg was asked what he thought of the Detroit sensation and replied that he did not believe that President Stearns wanted to quit the League but that he was prompted by Watkins, who, for some reason or other, is anxious to get away from the National body. Watkins, he says, is at loggerheads with most of the League managers and thinks the Association more genial.

Another Opinion.

"My ideas as to how and upon whom the new rule on pitchers will have the most effect," said an authority on base ball matters to a Boston Herald representative, "are about as follows: Radbourn of the Bostons has always been free from the song and dance tactics indulged in by the average twirler. He can keep a ball in view of a batter, and, when in good form, send it at him with as much speed as the next one. Buffinton, however, will be practically shelved. Require 'Buff' to keep his foot on the ground and deprive him of his hop-skip-and-jump, and you do away with him as a pitcher. Shaw, the wizard of the Washingtons, seems to have been the special target at whom this rule was aimed. When Shaw occupies the box he indulges in all manner of contortion acts. He generally passes the ball from his right hand to his left, which rests on his right hip, and then swings it in a semicircle over his shoulder. Mike Welsh of the New York Club will also come under the ban. Clarkson, Baldwin, Getzein, Caruthers and Mullane will not be seriously affected. The argument that the batting averages will be increased would hold good if there were nothing to offset it. But the rule making all balls fair that pass at any point between the knees and shoulder will work disastrously to the big percentages of such batters as Kelly, Anson, Hornung, Brouthers, Wise, Connor, O'Rourke, Thompson and Gore and other heavy hitters. Anson, for instance, can no more hit a low ball than Ward can a high one."

Watkins of Detroit.

Manager Watkins of the Detroits, remarks O. P. Caylor, seems to be a bigger man than "old Stearns." Mr. W. has so far done most of the interviewing and is making most of the war talk. He yesterday telegraphed to President Stern of Cincinnati, inquiring whether there would be a special meeting held in Cincinnati Monday. If Detroit wants to deal with the Association, they must do it through a man higher in authority than their manager. It is not at all likely that the Association gentlemen would dally one minute with Manager Watkins. Not that he isn't a man of eminent respectability, integrity and worth, whom everybody respects, but his position is what makes him no desirable agent for a deal. The club could at any time repudiate their manager's actions as unwarranted, and emphasize it by sacrificing him officially. If Detroit wants to deal with the Association they must send their President, Mr. Stearns. The importance of this will suggest itself to the Association as well as to the Detroits. Neither one nor the other can afford any "foolishness" in the premises.

Base Ball Briefs.

Anson and Comiskey were as kindly to each other in Chicago last week as if they roomed together.

The rule giving a strike for any obvious attempt to foul the ball does not apply to an attempt to block it and beat it to first base.

If Detroit would come over to the American Association, the other seven clubs would vote unanimously for a division of gate receipts.

Sidney Johnson, one of the best third basemen in Chicago, has been signed by Sam Morton, Spalding's head clerk, for the Topeka Club.

Graves, the Maroons' catcher, made 21 hits and stole 11 bases, which, it is said, will give him as high a stolen-base average as Fogarty of Philadelphia.

Manager Wright says there will be little, if any, change in the Philadelphia nine for next season. He seems well satisfied with the showing of last year's team, and thinks it will do still better next year.

President Von der Ahe has been in the East for several days, and it is claimed that he was here looking for players for his champion Browns for next season. Chris is going to try and capture the pennant again next year.—[New York Exchange.] President Von der Ahe has not been East at all, and the last player he signed was a St. Louis boy.

Base ball will seem like a new game next season, because of the radical changes made in the playing and scoring rules by the Joint Rules Committee at Chicago this week. The new rules will govern all clubs that claim protection under the National agreement, which means that the game will be played the same on nearly every ground in the country. This is as it should be, and is what base-ball writers have advocated for several years. It now remains to be seen if the new rules are an improvement over those they have superseded.

Said President Soden the other day: "Radbourne will have to play ball as well as he knows how every time he pitches next year or he will have to stand the consequences. We paid him a tremendous salary this year, but he is to get even more next year, and he has got to play ball. I don't believe any one has any idea of what we have to pay him. Here are the figures, look at them yourself," and Mr. Soden gave "Rad's" salary for 1887. The contract is made out at $2,000—the limit—but Radbourne's photographs come high, and the money he will receive from the Boston Club next season ought to make him willing to nearly pitch his arm off in every game. He is to receive exactly what he asked for, and any stories next summer to the effect that he is dissatisfied with his salary will be very fishy.—[Boston Globe.

FOOT BALL.

The M. A. A. C. and Thistle Clubs Play a Great Game—Notes.

The first game of the foot-ball season took place at Sportsman's Park yesterday afternoon between the Thistles and a picked team composed principally of members of the M. A. A. C. The game was a very pleasant and well-contested one all through and resulted in a tie, each team securing one goal.

Capt. Gillanders of the Thistles won the toss and decided to defend the southern goal. The first half of the game was of a give and take order, neither side scoring a point. Nevertheless some good individual play was executed on both sides. Immediately after the ball was started at half time the picked team, by some well-directed play, and assisted by one of the Thistles, succeeded in placing the sphere between the uprights. The Thistles restarted the ball and both teams began to show their mettle, one trying to even matters up, the other striving to retain that which they had secured. Matters begun to look a little blue for the wearers of the blue and white and it seemed as though the game would end in a whitewash. However, fortune came to the rescue in the shape of a foul by one of the picked team right in his own goal, which the Thistle forwards by a grand rush converted into a goal, thus tying the score.

From this on each side worked hard to secure the winning goal but the goal-keepers on both sides were on the alert and warded off some splendid shots, and when time was called the game stood as above stated: Thistle, 1; Picked team, 1. The Thistles, one and all played a good steady game, but the condition of the trained athletes on the picked team proved a decided advantage.

The game was enjoyed greatly both by the players themselves and the 500 spectators who witnessed it. It was devoid of that rough and tumble play which was indulged in by some of the local clubs last year and which virtually killed the game for a time. W. P. Adair was the umpire.

Foot-Ball Notes.

Fulford played in his usual good style.

When it came to a sprint, Murphy invariably got there.

The M. A. A. C. has the material; all they need is practice.

Lingo never played a better game in his life, he was on the ball all the time.

O'Connor and Lingo were a whole team in themselves. Condition will tell.

Billy Fletcher tips the beam at 171 pounds; nevertheless he is as active as ever.

Norris, Murphy, Fletcher, Lingo, Rhodes, O'Connor, Hellman, Peterson, Fath, Klein, Greene and the rest are splendid material.

Maud S. in a Sleigh.

Little has been heard of Maud S. for a year or more. She has been driven fast miles occasionally in private, but has made no attempt to eclipse her own wonderful performances. It seems she has been ready for a record breaking mile at any time, as her owner, Robert Bonner, said to a reporter Wednesday: "I came down from the farm on Friday last. Saturday was a bad day, and Sunday I never drive, but on Monday and Tuesday she went up the road with me. I kept her 'on edge' all the autumn, because the 'halloo' was that Harry Wilkes and some other formidable performers would beat her record. I waited, but they didn't. I drove her myself in skeleton wagon in 2:14¼, but John Murphy has recently sent her along to sulky in 2:11¼ on a three-quarter-mile track. She has lowered the record thrice—2:09¾, 2:09¼, 2:08¾. Do you want more? Do you want her to struggle against herself? I shall keep her in New York all winter, and when the snow comes will let her out a bit before a sleigh.',

BICYCLE BUDGET.

An Important Appointment—The Missouri Club Honored—Notes.

Capt. W. M. Brewster of the Missouri Club has been appointed a member of the Racing Board, L. A. W., to fill the vacancy causep by the resignation of N. H. Van Sicklen of Chicago. This plum might have been pulled out of the pie by the original League Club, the Ramblers, if their president, J. S. Rogers, who had been often mentioned for the position, had not run after strange gods early in the season and thrown in his fortunes with the A. C. U., which is now a very barren honor. This appointment undoubtedly comes to Capt. Brewster as a reward for his fidelity to the League. The new appointee has been a prominent wheelman in St. Louis for some time, having taken to the wheel years ago, when the old-timers thought a Harvard was the perfection of mechanical beauty. He was formerly a member of the Ramblers, but in the spring of 1885, transferred his entire allegiance to the Missouris, since when he has been an intense club partisan. He has an opinion of his own on the affairs of the day in the cycling world, and will give the West an outspoken voice on the board.

Notes.

Chief Consuls of other States are urging their divisions to prepare for the St. Louis league meet. Meanwhile the Missouri Division strains her ear in vain.

W. C. Herring of the Ixion Bicycle Club of New York in solving the amateur question in his own way in the Bulletin puts several chestnuts before the readers of the official organ.

Capt. W. M. Brewster, otherwise well qualified for a position on the Racing Board, is deficient in one important particular—he is not as hearty an advocate of the flying start as St. Louis would like to see him. However, he encouragingly announces that he is "open to conviction."

McCaffrey's Brother in Town.

Mike McCaffrey, a brother of the pugilist, Dominick McCaffrey, arrived in the city Saturday night from Pittsburg. He called on Tom Kelly and Tom Allen and said that he was on his way to the West. McCaffrey says that "Sparrow" Golden is a first-class man and that he will give Dominick as hard a row to hoe as he ever had in his life. It was thought that McCaffrey's presence in the city might mean something in connection with the rumors to the effect that his brother and Golden intend to come West for their battle, but he disclaimed all knowledge of any such plan. Tom Kelly says that although not a pugilist, McCaffrey's brother looks a "likely man."

The McCaffrey-Golden Mill.

Tom Kelly received a letter this morning from John P. Clow, who is now in Philadelphia. The letter is dated November 20, Saturday, and among other things Clow says: "McCaffrey and Golden fight Monday night between 8 and 10 o'clock in New York State. It is kept very quiet here. Fifteen men from each side will be present. McCaffrey is in good fix and weighs 165 pounds. They want me for a referee, but I don't think I shall act."

This is all of the letter referring to the McCaffrey-Golden mill, and by "Monday night" Clow evidently means this evening. Whether the arrangements will be carried out without interruption is another question.

Sporting Gossip.

Two deaths from foot-ball play have already occurred in the country this season.

The Yale freshmen have challenged the Harvard freshmen to an eight-oared two-mile straightaway race, to be rowed at New London next June.

Schaefer averaged eight in 200 last night with Carter. The latter averaged four even.

Patsy Cardiff is in hard training in Minneapolis for his mill with Sullivan at the end of next month.

Thatcher and Maggioli are matched for $50 a side at cushion carroms, 200 points. They will play to-night.

Matterson and Kemp, both now on voyage to Australia, row on the Paramatta next May for $1,000 a side.

McHenry Johnson, better known as the "Black Star," and Billy Wilson are to fight to a finish at St. Paul next Saturday.

The Pacific Rowing Association, of San Francisco, has decided to hold a big regatta on Thanksgiving day. It is possible that Courtney and H. Peterson will row.

Burke and Dempsey are billed to fight ten rounds at "The Pavilion" in San Francisco to-night with light gloves. Pat Sheedy says that the audience will be one of the largest ever seen at a fight in the West.

The Missouri Amateur Athletic Club will give its second annual hare and hound meeting at Forest Park on Thanksgiving Day. Members wishing to attend are requested to send their names to the Secretary at once so that all may be provided for.

Mr. J. A. St. John received a letter from Albert Hamm this morning, enclosing a clipping from a Boston paper, in which a "Backer of American Oarsmen" soundly rates Hamm for neglect of duty in training Gaudaur. Mr. St. John said the accusation was unjust in the extreme, and that Hamm had done his whole duty in preparing Jake for the great race with Beach.

Tommy Warren, the champion light weight, is now in New York. He says: "I have come East to keep my engagement with Tommy Danforth, and to take on any other matches there may be here for me. I shall try to prove how false is all this talk about my owning referees and making fake fights." Warren now weighs 135 pounds in his clothes. He will resume training next week. When he fought O'Leary, he weighed 118 pounds.

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A Mysterious Case.

Last night between 8 and 9 o'clock a woman, apparently 35 years of age, was found lying near the Missouri Pacific track, 200 yards west of the Webster Groves Depot. She appeared to be suffering great pain and was in a delirious state. It was evident that she required medical aid and Dr. Baker was summoned by Mr. Lew Wright, who in the meantime was caring for the unfortunate woman. On the doctor's advice she was removed to the Webster Groves Hotel. Her name could not be learned, and in answer to repeated questions her only reply was: "Please wait until I am out of pain and I will tell you all." It is supposed she came from St. Louis.

No "Chestnuts" in Ours.

In many furniture stores buyers who carry "chestnut bells" have occasion to "ring" quite frequently as they note the styles, but everything will be found *new* and *fresh* and *cheap* at BURRELL, COMSTOCK & CO.'s, 402-404 North Fourth street.

AMUSEMENTS.

All Favorites at All of the Theaters—American Opera Sale—Notes.

The Thalia Opera Company opened the second week of their engagement at the Olympic last night in Dellinger's "Don Cæsar de Bazan." The romantic story is so beautifully set to music that it captivated the audience by its sweet melodies. The performance did not equal in interest nor in actual merit throughout that of the McCaull Company earlier in the season. It was nevertheless an improvement over some of the performances of the past week. Mr. Otto Rathjens made a rather dignified part of Don Cæsar, totally different from the swaggering vagabond of Perugini; nevertheless it was fairly effective and well sung. The Maritana of Miss Selma Kronald was one of the best vocal performances the lady has yet given. She sang altogether acceptably. Mr. Elsbach burlesqued Don Fernandez in a manner that was not particularly happy. Mr. Max Lube's Don Ranudo was fairly effective but fell short of Digby Bell's comical conception of the character. The other parts were acceptably taken and the performance was warmly received by the audience, who encored all the gems.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Joseph Murphy's popularity in the Irish drama seems unending, and his old familiar play of "Kerry Gow" drew out a full house to the Grand and went with its usual vim and satisfaction to the auditors. The horse-shoeing scene, the carrier pigeons, and Mr. Murphy's songs were as effective as ever. The company, headed by Miss Belle Melville as Nora Drew, were satisfactory. "Kerry Gow" will run until Wednesday, inclusive, and will be succeeded for the rest of the week by "Shaun Rhue."

POPE'S THEATER.

Salsbury's Troubadours revived their extravaganza "The Brook," in which their first success was made in the line of entertainment peculiarly their own at Pope's last night. The reception and the picnic party in the woods were filled with musical and other specialties of a most entertaining kind. With Nate Salsbury and Nellie McHenry in the lead and with John Webster, F. B. Blair and Marie Bockel to complete the outfit there was scarcely a moment in which the audience seemed unamused. Miss McHenry was as lively and as light on her feet as ever, and Miss Bockel gave some vocal specialties, particularly her bird and fowl, which were enthusiastically encored. For those who like this form of entertainment the Troubadours offer genuine amusement

THE PEOPLE'S.

The "Ivy Leaf" is again at this theater, and drew an immense house for the opening night. It is a clean, strong play, dealing in the old theme of love, but cleverly and effectively told, and with several situations of thrilling interest. There is a thread of humor running through the play, which lightens the story. The scenery is all new and special, and the leap from the tower and the flight of the eagle with the child were enthusiastically applauded. Manager Powers presents this year a company fully equal to that of last season, and the play was smoothly and effectively staged. Mr. Eugene O'Rourke was the Murty Keerigan and Mrs. Powers the Maureen Deelish, while Miss Rose Watson made an attractive Colice. The musical, dance and piper specialties were well received.

THE STANDARD.

The usual big Sunday night audience packed the Standard last night at the opening performance of Edwin Hanford's sensational drama, "Partners in Crime." The plot is founded on abuses of the padrone system in New York, and the play is of the stirring melo-dramatic order. Mr. Hanford introduces several songs, among them "The Jockey," "Girls Don't Be an Old Maid," "Pretty Little Dark Blue Eyes," and others.

AMERICAN OPERA SALE.

The sale of season tickets for the engagement of the American Opera Company next week opened at 8 o'clock this morning at the box office of the Exposition. The misting, unpleasant weather did not deter purchasers from collecting on the steps of the Olive street entrance as early as 5 o'clock. The small group was gradually increased until shortly before 8 o'clock there were about seventy-five persons standing patiently in a line before the big door. A few minutes later the doors opened and the rush for the office window began. Dr. Taussig, Mr. Bollman and a number of other music lovers were in the line and were elbowed by messenger boys and deputies of all kinds and colors of other purchasers. One lady was among the first to come, and took her place in the line. A clean diagram was presented at the opening, but the first three or four purchasers took a large number of the choice seats in the first and second rows of the dress circle, and there were complaints on this score from several of the others. One gentleman left the line and said he would not purchase at all, but no others dropped out and the sale continued steadily, the line increasing up to over 100 before 9 o'clock. It was impossible to sum up the total amount early in the afternoon, but the sale promised to be one of the largest operatic advance sales on record here. The first four rows in the dress circle were rapidly taken and other parts of the circle and parquet were thickly sprinkled with marked seats.

Notes.

Extra Thanksgiving matinee performances will be given at all of the theaters.

Manager Ritchie and Mrs. D. P. Bowers occupied a box at the Olympic last night.

The Casino management will put on a new bill of sketches and specialties to-night.

The Troubadours will put on a new extravaganza entitled "The Humming-Bird" Friday night.

The Thalia Opera Company will present the "Beggar Student," to-night, and "A Night in Grenada" for the first time here to-morrow night.

Manager Barnes has secured for one more week the living half-man who created such a sensation at the Palace Museum last week. There are also several other curiosities and a good stage show.

Looks Impossible, but It's So.

To-morrow the Globe, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue, will offer 2,000 nobby suits and overcoats in corkscrews and cassimeres, sold elsewhere for $10 and $12.50, at $7.50. Their $10 suits and overcoats are sold elsewhere at $15. It will pay you to call this week.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—A situation by a No. 1 salesman until January 1, 1887; gents' furnishing goods, clothing and cloak department. Ad. M 21, this office. 37

Cooks, etc.

WANTED—Situation by a colored man as cook. Call at 2348 Pine st. 40

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—$10 will be given to anyone giving me information leading to permanent situation of any kind, express business preferred; am a bookkeeper; best city reference. Add. B 21, this office. 43

HELP WANTED—MALE.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—A No. 1 young man who is acquainted with the grocery business; good reference required. 2823 N. Broadway. 54

The Trades.

WANTED—First-class ice-cream maker at once at 110 S. 6th st. 58

WANTED—Shoemakers, laster burnisher, awler, trimmer and finisher on men's, boys' and youths' machine and hand-sewed shoes. Geo. W. Dekker & Co., 713 N. Main st. 58

NOTICE—All painters of Nos. 1, 2 and 3 to attend a special meeting at 204 South Broadway Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. 58

Waiters.

WANTED—A first-class colored waiter; must be able to read and write and bring recommendations. Dr. Comstock, 507 N. 14th st. 57

Laborers.

WANTED—Men and teams Tuesday morning on Summit av. and Market st., and on Olive st., between 11th and 12th. John A. Lynch. 59

Boys.

WANTED—By a good intelligent boy of 15, situation in small grocery store; can speak English and German; can give ref. Ad. 4112 N. 11th st. 42

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—An active man located outside large cities; salary to suitable party $100 per month to represent in his locality an old house; refs. MANUFACTURER Sup't, Lock Box 1585, New York. 61

WANTED—Dec. 1, on our lines, four young ladies to learn telegraphing, to qualify for situations paying $60 to $90. Apply immediately to Union Telegraph Superintendent, 102 N. 3d st.; take elevator.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

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Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Situation by respectable young lady at plain sewing or light housework; no postal cards; good reference. 536 Argyle av. 46

WANTED—Experienced seamstress wants to sew or do sewing and light housework in private families or boarding-houses. Ad. K 21, this office. 46

General Housework.

WANTED—A situation by a young woman to do light housework; no washing. Call at 906 N. 23d st. 48

WANTED—A situation by a young German girl to help in general housework. Call or address No. 1511 Cass av., rear. 48

WANTED—Situation by three German girls, one to do general housework, the others housework or nursing. Apply at 2801 E. Bell st. 48

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Laundresses.

WANTED—Situation by first-class laundress, by the month. Address L 21, this office. 51

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Situation by a young girl as dishwasher in a restaurant, or pantry girl. Address A 20, this office. 52

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—An apprentice for dressmaking. 1417 Chouteau av. 69

WANTED—Four good finishing hands on jeans pants at 2420 N. Broadway. 69

General Housework.

WANTED—Good girl for housework. 1500 Washington av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework, with reference. Apply at 3214 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—Girl to do housework, no washing and ironing, at 805 Pine st., up-stairs. 66

WANTED—A good girl to do general housework. Apply at once at 2630 Lafayette av. 66

WANTED—A good German girl, 14 to 15 years old, to do light housework. Call 2435 Dickson st. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 13 Cardinal av., bet. Chestnut and Laclede av.

Cooks.

WANTED—A good woman cook for hotel. 216 S. 4th st. 56

WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron; small family. Apply at the Fair Grounds. 68

Nurses.

WANTED—A competent and settled person to take care and instruct children; reference required. Apply 3517 Laclede av. 70

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Dec. 1, on our lines, four young men to learn telegraphing, to qualify for situations paying $75 to $100. Apply immediately to Union Telegraph Superintendent, 102 N. 3d st.; take elevator.

WANTED—AGENTS.

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2327 AND 2329 CHOUTEAU AV.—Six rooms each; hall, gas, water and bath; good location for boarding-house; rent low to a good tenant. G. W. Baumhoff, 2207 Washington av. 14

FOR RENT—Cheap, 2944 Clark av. and 413 Montrose av., six room houses; all conveniences. Apply to J. RYAN, 605 Chestnut st. 14

FOR RENT—807 Clarkson place, just south of Morgan street and east of Vandeventer, new stone fronts; 7 rooms, hall, bath, gas, electric bells, etc.; $500 per annum. JAS. M. CARPENTER & CO., 206 N. 8th. 14

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

804 CHESTNUT ST.—One large office room, 1st floor, rear. KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine. 17

FOR RENT—Store No. 420 Washington av.; possession given January 1. Apply to M. D. Dodd, at Brown, Daughaday & Co. 17

FOR RENT—Two four-story buildings, Nos. 519 and 521 St. Charles st.; will be rented separately or as one store; possession January 1. J. E. KAIME & BRO., 610 Olive st. 17

FOR RENT—For manufacturing purposes, with steam power, first and second floors and basement of building s. e. cor. 8th and Walnut sts., now occupied by my paper bag factory. Apply on premises to James West, Supt. Sam Cupples. 17

BOARDING.

1502 PINE ST.—Second-story unfurnished front room with board; also furnished room; reasonable rates. 18

1712 PAPIN ST.—Furnished rooms with or without board. 18

1927 OLIVE ST.—Nicely furnished front room with board. terms reasonable. 18

2210 OLIVE ST.—A nicely furnished second-story room and board in private family; terms reasonable. 18

3509 LINDELL AV.—Rooms single or en suite, with good board; terms reasonable. 18

HOTEL GARNIER—Southeast corner 7th and Walnut, room and board per week, $5; day, $1; rooms.

REAL ESTATE.

JAMES CUMMISKEY,
—REAL ESTATE,—
No. 12 North Eighth st........ST. LOUIS, MO.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT.

WEBSTER STATION, MO. P. R. R.—House of nine rooms near the depot; lease for fifteen months at twelve months' rent. Apply 19 N. 6th. 16

IM'P CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

FOR sales and rents of real estate get KEELEY & CO.'S REAL ESTATE BULLETIN for November, at the Real Estate Exchange, or 703 Pine st. The list contains some improved property that pays from 10 to 15 per cent interest. 7

FOR SALE—Southeast corner Chambers and Blair av., five two-story brick dwellings, all in good order and well rented; lot 50x110. This property can be bought very cheap as parties want to divide their interests. H. L. CORNET & CO., 110 N. 8th st. 7

FOR SALE—Or Exchange—A fine three-story stone-front house; has ten rooms, front and rear halls, hot and cold water, bath and gas; centrally located; now paying 13 per cent interest on price asked; would exchange for one or two houses in city or suburbs or vacant lots. KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

FINANCIAL.

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upward on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advances will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1015 Morgan st. 31

LOANS on furniture in residence, city real estate and all good securities; fair and reasonable terms. Porter & Williams, room 2, 904 Olive st. 31

MONEY loaned on furniture without removal; any amt.; lowest rates; bus. conf. 813 Morgan st. 31

MONEY LOANED on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, pistols, musical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av. 31

MONEY LOANED on furniture in residence; business confidential; no charge for making loan; Brolaski & Voorhis, 111 N. 6th st. 31

MONEY to loan on personal property. MAYER & CO., 520 Pine st.

TO LOAN—$10,000, $8,000, $5,000, $3,000, $2,500, $2,000, $1,500, $1,000 and $500 at 6 per cent on city real estate. KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

$25 TO $500 loaned on furniture, pianos, without removal; also on horses and wagons; weekly payments taken and interest reduced in proportion; no commission. F. W. Peters & Co., 813 Chestnut st.

FURNITURE LOANS.

$25 and upward to loan on furniture at residence without removal; lowest rates; business strictly confidential. C. F. Betts, 208 N. 8th st. 31

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR RENT—News agency on two good trains; must have $25. Union Depot News-stand. 2

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, with tools. H. H. Mestemacher, 4833 N. Broadway. 4

FOR SALE—A well located saloon. Inquire Hyde Park Brewery Co., 16th and Salisbury sts. 40

FOR SALE—Stationery, cigar and candy business cheap; location central; rent cheap. Address E 21, this office. 4

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP.

A DAIRY, ESTABLISHED 35 YEARS, doing a first-class profitable business, situated about 3 miles from the Court-house; a No. 1 route, with two good milk wagons, two block wagons, four horses, twenty-two healthy cows (all good milkers), milk cans, good pasturage and water, and all other conveniences for carrying on a profitable dairy business. Rent of place, only $25 per month, including large and comfortable six-room house. Poor health only reason for selling. Will sell for half its value if sold at once. Address O 40, this office. 4

BOOKS.

WANTED—Books—All kinds bought for cash. Call or send address. Book Exchange, 309 N. 9th. 35

PERSONAL.

Advertisements under the head of "Personal" are received subject to revision or rejection entirely. The money paid for rejected advertisements will be refunded when address is given, or by calling at this office with ticket. All personals not of a business nature, ten cents a line; nothing less than two lines.

PERSONAL—Pet: Tuesday evening. Pate. 1

PERSONAL—Miss Bell H.: Letter in P. O. for you; send for it; from baby. 1

PERSONAL—Stella 19: Will meet you this eve at time and place appointed. 1

PERSONAL—Lively young widow wishes a gent that will assist her immediately. Address P 21, this office. 1

PERSONAL—A lady of 20 wishes the acquaintance of an elderly gent with means; object, matrimony. Address O 21, this office. 1

PERSONAL—Lizzie K.: I met my friend to-day. When you send it to me let me know the amount to be enclosed. All is well. Dick. 1

PERSONAL—Miss Bell H.: Please come home at once; little B— has the diphtheria; all will be satisfactory for you in the future. Jennie K. 1

PERSONAL—Will elderly gent who noticed lady Saturday in front of Boutell's and made some remark about blacking-board send his address to S 21, this office. 1

PERSONAL—Will lady who recognized fleshy gent on 6th and Morgan at 7:30 last Saturday evening and then took car north, please send her address to T 21, this office? 1

PERSONAL—Rebecca L. Ady, M.D., 1422 Olive st., electro-magnetic hand baths, and baths of all kinds for ladies and gentlemen. Baths are a necessity and a luxury. Patrons can have choice of male or female assistants. 1

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

CALL and consult Mme. Cafrel, the New Orleans fortune teller, 12 S. 14th st. 74

IF you need a suit of clothes call and see the fine misfits at Dunn's Loan Office. 74

MRS. G. LUBY, mother of the great fortune teller, Mrs. Wilcus, gives luck, tells fortunes, can be consulted on affairs of business, love and matrimony; tells name and age of caller and present sweethearts; satisfaction guaranteed. 502 N. 15th st., between St. Charles st. and Washington av. 74

PERSONAL—Mrs. Louisa Massock, ladies' physician; takes ladies to board during confinement. 1319 Chouteau av. 74

PERSONAL—Mrs. Dossen, practical and competent midwife; business strictly confidential; attended to, with board; charges reasonable. 115 S. 14th st.

SELL your cast-off clothing to N. Jacobs. Address postal card, 218 Locust st. 74

TAKE home to your wife an oyster loaf—25c. W. G. Milford, 209 N. 6th. 54

DR. D. I. JOCKLYN of Colton Dental Association, who introduced the use of gas in St. Louis for the painless extraction of teeth, gives it his personal attention. Gas always pure, operations safe and sure. All branches of dentistry practiced at lowest prices. Office 517 Olive st. 74

1,000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1.

H. B. Crole & Co., printers, 925 Olive st.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

COAL—10 bushels, $1; 21 bushels, $2; by the load, 9½c. T. F. Carroll, 2021 Franklin av. Send postal.

COAL—10 bushels, $1; 21 bushels, $2; by the load, 9½c. Jas. F. Dockery, 811 N. 8th st.; send postal. 5

HALL'S Reliable Coal Market, 2137 Morgan st.; sold in quantities to suit from $1 up. Send postal.

SINGER Sewing Machines from $5 to $12, all in perfect order at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av. 5

O. K. COAL dealer delivers nine bushels of good coal to any part of building for $1; sells 2 and 4-horse loads at lowest market price. Office, 922 N. 12th st., C. F. Wuesteney, Prop. 5

CARPETS, SMYRNA RUGS,

A full line of Brussels, Extra Supers, Ingrains, Mattings, Oil Cloths and Smyrna Rugs from Eastern manufacturers. People's, 208, 210 and 212 N. 7th st. 5

The Easiest Time Payment House in the City,

GEO. J. FRITSCH

FURNITURE, STOVE AND CARPET CO.

Parlor Suit, bedroom sets, bed lounges, springs, mattresses, cooking and heating stoves, hanging lamps, carpets, oil cloths, rugs, curtains, oil paintings and everything to housekeeping in great varieties always on hand. Special bargains to parties going to housekeeping. Largest stock and lowest prices. Give us a call and don't forget the Nos.

1509 to 1515 S. Broadway.

ON TIME PAYMENTS,

At cash prices; no charges, no interest; everything to furnish a house. People's Furniture, Carpet and Stove Co., 208, 210 and 212 N. 7th st., near Olive. 5

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

For Sale.

I HAVE two new and two second-hand Storm wagons I will sell at low price; call and get your carriage or buggy repaired and repainted at John Klag's Carriage Factory, 2611 Market st.

MUSICAL.

PIANOS perfectly tuned, $1. E. A. Benson's, 621 Olive st. 27

Only Star of Hope,

A POSITIVE CURE.
NO BALSAM CAPAVIA
OR OILS. TASTLESS.
NO ODOR. FOR SALE
BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
Price $1.25 Per Bottle.

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I have a positive remedy for the above disease; by its use thousands of cases of the worst kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease, to any sufferer. Give express & P. O. address. DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 181 Pearl St. N. Y.

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Cure without Medicine. Patented October 16, 1876. One box will cure the most obstinate case in four days or less.

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No Nauseous doses of cubebs, copaiba or oil of sandalwood, that are certain to produce dyspepsia by destroying the coatings of the stomach. Price, $1.50. Sold by all druggists or mailed on receipt of price. For further particulars sent for circular.
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MANHOOD RESTORED. A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self-cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow sufferers. Address, C. J. MASON, Post Office Box 3179, New York City.

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A regular graduate of two Medical Colleges, has been longer engaged in the special treatment of Chronic, Nervous, Skin and Blood Diseases than any other Physician in St. Louis, as city papers show and all old residents know.

Nervous Prostration, Debility, Mental and Physical Weakness; Mercurial and other Affections of Throat, Skin or Bones, Blood Poisoning, old Sores and Ulcers, are treated with unparalleled success, on latest scientific principles. Safely, Privately.

Diseases Arising from Indiscretion, Excess, Exposure or Indulgence, which produce some of the following effects: nervousness, debility, dimness of sight and defective memory, pimples on the face, physical decay, aversion to the society of females, confusion of ideas, etc., rendering Marriage improper or unhappy, are permanently cured. Pamphlet (36 pages) on the above, sent in sealed envelope, free to any address. Consultation at office or by mail free, invited and strictly confidential.

A Positive Written Guarantee given in every curable case. Medicine sent everywhere by mail or express.

MARRIAGE GUIDE,

260 PAGES, FINE PLATES, elegant cloth and gilt binding, sealed for 50c. in postage or currency. Over fifty wonderful pen pictures, true to life; articles on the following subjects: who may marry, who not, why; manhood, womanhood, physical decay, effects of celibacy and excess, the physiology of reproduction, and many more. Those married or contemplating marriage should read it. Popular edition, same, paper cover, 25c. Address as above. Dr. Whittier.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Brindle cow, white spot over each hoof and end of tail. Return to G. W. Tolle, 1932 Warne av., opposite O'Fallon Park, and get reward. 30

LOST—Friday evening, November 19, a small sealskin cape, between Washington av. and Carroll st., near 4th st; liberal reward if returned to 2823 N. Broadway.

LOST—The person who lost an opera glass at the Music Hall on the evening of Nov. 19, by calling, and identifying it and paying cost of advertisement at 1834 Lafayette av., can recover it. 30

FOUND—Stray red cow with white face at T. sf. Tuttle's, Warne and Guy av, one block west Mahon's Castle. 30

STORAGE.

BEST storage for furniture; clean, dry and lowest rates. Brolaski & Voorhis, 111 N. 6th st. 8

FURNITURE, pianos, etc., stored; money advanced when desired; packing and shipping a specialty; moving with care. C. F. Betts, 208 N. 8th st. 84

STORAGE—For furniture, pianos, carriages, trunks etc.; inspection solicited; reduced rates; careful moving, packing, shipping, etc. R. U. Leonori, Jr., & Co., 1005 Olive st. 81

STORAGE.

Furniture, Pianos, Trunks, Boxes, Etc.

Stored on the best terms; cheapest, safest, best and most convenient in city; an itemized warehouse receipt given; money advanced if desired; packing and shipping furniture, pianos, pictures, glass and queensware a specialty; moving done at low rates, with care, at our large fire-proof warehouse.
WM. O. LANGAN & CO., 1003 and 1005 Morgan st.
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WHEREAS, Carl F. Haebner and Christine, his wife, by their deed of trust dated May 14, 1885, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in book 767, page 60, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate, to-wit: Situated in block No. 309, west, of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, commencing at a point in the south line of Dock street, one hundred and thirty feet west of its intersection with the west line of North Broadway; thence running westwardly along the said south line of Dock street fifty-six feet and one inch; thence northwardly ten feet; thence westwardly along the south line of Dock street twenty-seven feet and eleven inches; thence southwardly ninety feet, to a point thence eastwardly eighty-four feet; thence northwardly eighty feet to the place of beginning. And whereas, the covenants of said deed as to taxes and insurance have not been complied with, now, at the request of the legal holder of, and in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, I, the undersigned trustee, will offer the above denoted property for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house in said city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., on
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1886,
for purpose of said trust.
PHILLIP BURG, Trustee.
St. Louis, November 20, 1886.

LADIES' PENNYROYAL PILLS. "CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH." The Original and only Genuine. Ask your Druggist for Chichester's English; take no other, or send 4c (stamps) for particulars by return mail. CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO., Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by Druggists everywhere.

A CHRISTMAS GIFT

Presented to St. Louis Homes in a Style Regardless of Expense.

A gay equipage carrying a polished metal card of the Famous on the footboard attracted general attention on the down-town streets on last Saturday afternoon. The rig is a tandem drag, with a deep black and metallic bed and a rich vermillion gearing. The animals in the traces are a couple of beautiful specimens of horseflesh, a jet black making the lead with a large light gray in the shafts. A coachman arrayed in a perfect copy of President Cleveland's livery handled the ribbons gracefully, and guided his spirited leader with perfect ease. Besides the driver a couple of richly dressed outriders occupied seats in the drag, altogether making a very attractive outfit. The elegant equipage is the property of the Famous Shoe and Clothing Company, whose name is synonymous with progress and enterprise in the mind of every St. Louisan. The heads of the advertising department of this well-known establishment conceived an original idea of combining art and business. They have issued "The Famous Art Catalogue for Christmas, 1886," and within the next month will present one at every residence in this city. This morning the Famous tandem drag, with its force from the advertising department, started out on its tour of distributing these desirable Christmas presents. The first illustration is a copy of the "Adoration of the Shepherds," from the original in the Corcoran Gallery. A copy of Reichert's "The First Proof," is the second illustration. Among the subjects of a lighter nature are "The Eve of St. John," "Clear as Gold" and "A Pause in the Argument." "Selene and Endymion," from Dielitz's original painting, and "A Scene in Batavia," are two full-page illustrations. With each subject a page sketch is given of an historical and critical character. This elegant present will be welcomed among the Christmas literature and art. In an artistic way it will have few equals in the work of this character turned out at Christmas time. Thousands who have learned the object of the tour are waiting for the tandem.

Arrested but Released.

A well-dressed man ran after Officer Blank on Fifth street yesterday and asked him to go across the street and arrest a man who he said was wearing an overcoat which had been stolen from his room, and for which he had paid $25 a few days previously in a prominent Fifth street clothing establishment. The man was arrested and taken down to the station, but luckily had in his possession a bill which proved conclusively that he had bought the overcoat only a few hours before at the Globe, on Franklin avenue. Although it seemed very strange that an overcoat that cost $25 in one establishment could be bought for $15 in another, yet the Captain was fully convinced and the man was released.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

State Senator Downing, author of the famous Sunday law, was at the Laclede this morning.

Elijah Gates of St. Joseph, United States Marshal for the Western District, is at the Planters'.

J. B. Silver, Lexington, Mo.; Jas. Summons, New Orleans, Mo.; J. B. Shell, Round Rock, Tex., are at Hurst's.

John Maxwell, Mobile, Ala.; J. F. Benton, Jonesboro, Ill.; D. Halsted, Troy, N. Y.; J. Stilman, Vandalia, Ill., are at the Everett.

Henry N. Onter, James O. Gunn, Hannibal, Mo.; Wm. B. Taylor, Toledo, O.; Chas. J. Tanner, Topeka, Kan., and Judge John W. Henry, Jefferson City, are at the Lindell.

J. W. Balch, President of Royliston Insurance Company, Boston, is at the Southern, on an annual visit to important offices of the company. He is accompanied by two special agents or inspectors.

John Sweeney, Macon, Mo.; F. L. Fred, Indian Nation; H. McDonald and wife, Illinois; R. L. Christian, Waynesville, Mo.; M. A. Holton, Chicago, and E. H. Shaeffer, New York City, are at Hotel Barnum.

E. F. Hall, Kansas City; A. P. Wilson, Geo. C. Wilson, El Paso, Tex.; Wm. Anderson, Mrs. F. Akern, Denver, Col.; J. T. Groves and wife, Cincinnati, O., and J. S. Duncan and wife, Las Vegas, N. M., are at the Planters'.

James G. Houx of Bedford, Mo., President of the Bedford Short Line Railroad; Mrs. D. S. Hart and daughters, Smithwick, D. T.; Wm. Ballard, Decatur; J. D. O'Bannon, Edwardsville; T. P. Hickey, Quincy, are at Hotel Hunt.

Mrs. W. H. Punell, Charleston, Mo.; E. M. Pound, Spokane Falls, W. T.; W. S. Smith, Terre Haute, Ind.; W. B. Harkinson, D. M. Seymour, Savannah, Ga., and M. W. Manville, Gazette, Little Rock, are at the St. James.

C. G. Richey, Nevada, Mo.; Mrs. C. M. Levey and child, Lawrence, Kan.; Theo. Shannon, Topeka, Kan.; W. G. Downing, Canton, Mo.; W. T. League, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; C. M. Bolen, Newark, N. J.; M. H. Chamberlain, Denver, and Mrs. C. E. Miller, Xenia, O., are at the Laclede.

George T. Hawkins and wife, Washington, D. C.; Eben F. Wells, Cairo, Ill.; S. Hopkins, Mobile, Ala.; Frank N. Ball, Mrs. S. C. Ball, Miss Daisy League, Miss Carnes, Galveston, Tex.; W. F. Closson, Hartford, Conn.; Mark H. Hubbell, Peoria, Ill.; E. C. Sugg, Fort Worth, Tex.; M. K. Montjoie, Richmond, Va., and A. W. Jones, Oshkosh, Wis., are at the Southern.

Nobby Dressers Surprised.

During the past week we have been surprising hundreds of stylish gents who have formerly been patronizing merchant tailors with our handsome line of nobby suits and overcoats in imported materials at $15. They are asking $25 for the same garments elsewhere. GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

THE CIVIL COURTS.

ANSWER AND CROSS-BILL ENTERED TO-DAY BY MRS. BERTHA MAYER.

A Lack of Affection Urged on the One Side and Cruelty and Neglect on the Other—Fifth Trial of a Passenger's Damage Suit for Ejectment—Matters in Litigation.

Mrs. Bertha Mayer filed to-day in the Circuit Court an answer and cross-bill to the divorce suit entered by her husband, Joseph Mayer. They were married in Louisville, Ky., and in the petition of the husband he complained that Mrs. Mayer had said that she regretted the marriage; that she did not love him, and did not want to live with him. She declared that he was not refined enough for her, and that her place in life was to live like a lady. Her husband alleged that he was constantly exposed to abuse and ridicule; that his wife compared him unfavorably with other men and spoke of letters which she received from a sweetheart in Texas. He was at length afraid that she would do him some bodily harm, and she purchased on one occasion some poison from a drug store. She threatened in the event of giving birth to a child to destroy it. Finally, her husband alleged that she took the furniture and left him.

Mrs. Mayer states in her cross-bill that her husband ordered her to go back to her parents soon after the marriage; that he was uncleanly in his habits and refused to wash himself. That he associated with people of ill repute, remained out of a night, sometimes staying out all night; that he neglected to provide her with sufficient food or clothing, and that he whipped her and otherwise treated her cruelly, besides showering her with vile abuse and rendering her condition intolerable.

Fifth Trial of a Damage Suit.

The fifth trial of the $10,000 damage suit of Nicholas Hayes against the St. Louis Railroad Company, Broadway line, was called before a special jury to-day in Judge Lubke's court. This case has had a remarkable history. At the first trial a continuance was granted and the filing of an amended petition. At the second trial the jury gave a verdict in favor of the plaintiff and the company took an appeal. The higher court set aside the verdict and sent the case back for a new trial. Two juries subsequently disagreed upon a verdict and the case reaches another jury to-day. The claim of the plaintiff is based upon an ejectment from one of the Broadway cars on the 22d of January, 1882. Mr. Hayes complains that he was handled in a very violent manner by the conductor of the car, that he was pushed off the platform and that he was battered about the face and injured in the eye. He had paid his fare, and was entitled to ride to his destination and that the conductor took offense because he ventured to express himself concerning the conductor's conduct in ejecting another passenger.

The defense claims that the plaintiff became very abusive to the conductor about the ejectment of a man who had not paid his fare and he used very bad language. The conductor told him to behave himself or he would put him off whereupon the plaintiff placed himself in a threatening attitude and the conductor removed him. The injuries complained of were received in falling from the platform.

To Forfeit Security.

Peter A. Spangler has entered a suit in the Circuit Court against Horace Coleman, Jr., seeking a foreclosure from all right or equity of redemption in 185 shares of stock of the Dr. Harter Medicine Company. Mr. Coleman gave two notes for $17,000, secured by 252 shares of stock in the Harter Medicine Company. The first note was paid and a portion of the stock released. There is a balance due of $4,500 on the second note.

The Borggraefe Verdict.

The jury in the benefit certificate case of Mrs. Maria Borggraefe against the Supreme Lodge Knights and Ladies of Honor, returned a verdict to-day in favor of the plaintiff for the insurance, $1,000, less $1.90, the assessments and fines. The interest from January 2, 1885, brings the verdict up to $1,111.81.

Notes in Court.

The trial of the suit of Thady Lavin against the Missouri Car and Foundry Company is engaging the attention of a jury in Judge Dillon's court. The plaintiff was an employe of the company and he claims $10,000 damages for injury to his right hand and arm in the rollers of a coke machine.

Maria Steiling asks for a decree of divorce from Henry Steiling. They were married in April, 1884, and the separation took place three weeks later upon a discovery made by Mrs. Steiling which rendered it impossible for her to reside any longer with her husband. She asks for a divorce on the ground of his immoral conduct and for the restoration of her maiden name, Maria Ryffel.

Judge Lubke to-day rendered a decision in the matter of the assigned estate of Rudolph Jaeggerman. The exceptions to report of the Commissioner on the application of assignee for discharge were overruled, and objections to final settlement of the assignee were overruled. The report was approved and the assignee discharged.

Messrs. Davis & Davis were peremptorily ordered by Judge Thayer to-day to produce in court to-morrow morning the papers of the Supreme Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, their clients, which had been retained for collection of a fee.

A mandamus proceeding to compel the transfer of stock, entry on books and certificate was entered to-day in Judge Valliant's court by George L. Robertson against C. F. Hinsey and James Edwards.

The report of the commissioner appointed to assess damages in the condemnation proceedings for the St. Louis, Oak Hill & Carondelet Railway against Lucy A. Fowler and Martha E. Sell and others was submitted to the Court this morning. The gross amount is $17,346.55.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

Imitations and counterfeits have again appeared. Be sure that the word "HORSFORD'S" is on the wrapper. None are genuine without it.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Items of Interest and Gossip From the Adjacent Towns.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., November 21.—The surveying corps of the Cape Girardeau, Southwestern Railroad will leave East Cape to-morrow to lay out a line from there to Grand Tower, on the east bank of the river. This is a long-wished-for project of our city and we are correspondingly elated with the prospects of an early railroad connection with the coal fields of Illinois. It is a Cape Girardeau enterprise and will be pushed rapidly to completion.——The Dairymaids' Festival, on Friday night, was a success both artistically and financially. It was under the auspices of the Ladies' Circle of the Presbyterian Church.——Miss Julia Jorden has been visiting at Puxico, Mo.——Mrs. S. Albert is entertaining Mrs. Hayden and Mrs. James Hacket of Belleville, Ill.——Miss Constance Rozier of St. Mary's, Mo., has been a guest of Miss Amy Kimmel.——Miss Laura Gray of Commerce is visiting Miss Coza Gray.

DeSoto, Mo., November 21.—Circuit Court was in session a greater portion of last week at Hillsboro, trying the case of the State against Ives and Wilson, for assault on Otto Miller in this city during the recent strike. The jury after being out about ten or fifteen minutes, returned a verdict of guilty, and assessed a fine on each in the sum of $100. Col. R. S. MacDonald of St. Louis prosecuted and R. G. Frost defended.——The improvements on Boyd street are progressing finely, and when completed will be the best street in this city.——Mr. W. F. Edinger started for Louisville, Ky., and will on next Wednesday lead to the altar Miss May Lewis of that city. He and his bride will return home Thursday evening.——Mr. Otto Herman is now at Bismarck with a full force of men, pushing through to completion the handsome residence of Train-master Hull.——Ex-Gov. Fletcher passed through our city a few days since, en route for Hot Springs, Ark., where he has gone for his health. The Governor has been quite poorly for some time, and some of his relatives here have been considerably worried over his condition.——Ex-Mayor Goff has gone to Kansas for the purpose of selecting a place for his future home.——Our city fathers are now making preparations for the funding of the city's indebtedness.——Ex-Sheriff Hartyen contemplates going into business at Festus at an early date.——The Rev. Geo. Chase is now taking steps preparatory to the erection of a new church up in the north end. He is receiving considerable encouragement from the citizens.——From the present indications, next spring will be a season of building and general improvements in this city.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

Better Than a Free Turkey Dinner.

2,000 men's fine cassimere and worsted overcoats and suits such as are retailed by competing houses for $15 will go at $10. 1,500 boys' good suits and overcoats retailed elsewhere at $8.50 will go at $5 in the great Philadelphia bankrupt sale for three days longer at the
GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Diabolical Scheme of Anarchists—Attempted Suicide—Freight Wreck—Illinois Items.

CHICAGO, November 22.—Mrs. Emma Smith, a young woman recently married, was shot and killed yesterday in a tenement house by Charles Gregor, a bartender, who had made improper advances and was refused. He committed suicide as the woman expired. It is stated in a German paper that the anarchists have recently held a meeting to discuss plans for the destruction of the city. A fire started in a dozen different places and the use of dynamite at the water tower, it was thought, would accomplish the purpose.

DECATUR, November 22.—George Gorther of Springfield attempted to commit suicide yesterday by taking sulphuric ether. He had proposed to a divorced woman, who refused him.

MT. VERNON, November 22.—A wreck occurred yesterday on the Louisville & Nashville road, caused by a heavy freight train dividing on a grade. Several cars were destroyed.

CLINTON, November 22.—Josie Losart, a domestic in the family of John W. Day, was fatally burned yesterday by upsetting a lighted lamp.

VIENNA, November 22.—The jury in the Arnet-Newton-McIntosh murder trial returned a verdict of not guilty. It was Arnett's third trial.

PEORIA, November 22—The Coroner's inquest in the case of Dr. H. C. Caldwell showed that death was caused by a cystic tumor.

GALENA, November 22.—Martin Whitish died yesterday in his 101st year. He was a native of Poland.

GRIGGSVILLE, November 22.—Moses A. Bryant, a married man, deranged by illness, shot and killed himself yesterday.

* * * * YOUNG or middle-aged men, suffering from premature decline of power, however induced, speedily and radically cured. Illustrated book for 10 cents in stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

CHARGED WITH ARSON.

The Outcome of a Disagreement in the Whitesides Family.

John Whitesides, an Italian 33 years old, was arrested in the rear of 1514 North Ninth street this morning by Officer Lowery on a charge of arson. It is alleged by the police that he was seen leaving No. 717 Christy avenue at 1 o'clock yesterday morning just a few minutes after fire was discovered in the lower part of the building. Whitesides' family, consisting of his wife and six children, live on the second floor. For some months the wife has not been living with her husband, although he has made repeated efforts to have her do so. This so enraged him that she says he has several times tried to kill her, and once, only a month ago, while residing at No. 22 South Fourth, she discovered poison in the dinner food which she says she has every reason to believe he placed there. A few evenings ago he visited her again and asked her to live with him. She positively refused to comply and he threatened to give her great trouble and that very soon. Whitesides denies having set fire to the building or having been in or around the vicinity of the building when the fire was discovered. The woman and her children are in very needy circumstances and are residing at No. 717 Christy avenue.

To-Morrow at the Globe.

1,000 men's good corkscrew suits and overcoats at $7.50 at the
GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

A BAD BOY

Who Beat His Old Father and "Raised Cain" Generally.

Joseph Dado of No. 422 Argyle avenue was the prosecuting witness in the First District Police Court this morning in a case of disturbing the peace against his son, Joseph Dado, Jr. The latter is only 17 years of age, but has reached that point where his father finds it impossible to manage him. The young man has been working, and when he receives his pay every week he "goes on a spree" with the money, and then comes to his father for more money when his own wages have been all spent. Saturday the young man received his pay, went on his regular weekly excursion and yesterday applied to his father for more money. The old man refused to give it to him and the son took an ax, broke in the door and smashed things up generally about the house, threatening to kill his father if he did not supply him with the money he demanded. The father had him arrested and this morning said he would pay the boy's fare anywhere to get him out of the city. It was decided to send him to Tennessee on the evening train, and Judge Cady fined the young hopeful $100 and gave him hours to leave the city.

Too Pretty for Anything!

is the exclamation so often made by ladies viewing the elegant styles of desks and fancy furniture shown in the beautiful warerooms of BURRELL, COMSTOCK & CO.

A CROOKED EX-ALDERMAN.

Big Haul by Burglars—An Express Robber's Confession—Texas Topics.

GALVESTON, November 22.—Ex-Alderman E. A. Smith was sentenced on Saturday to two years in the Penitentiary for embezzling the funds of the Screwsmen's Benevolent Association.

SAN ANTONIO, November 22.—The Dullnig grocery store was burglarized yesterday within full view of the police station. The thieves took away $2,000.

CISCO, November 22.—James Lawrence, an employe on a cattle ranch in New Mexico, was engaged in a fatal shooting affray on Saturday and confessed on his death-bed to the robbery of the express agent at De Leon. The body of a tramp frozen to death was discovered yesterday on the roadside in Shackelford County.

MCKINNEY, November 22.—Hard Bryant, a young farmer, was shot from ambush yesterday, six miles from this place. A. C. Large, a relative, was arrested last night on suspicion.

An Outrage.

Citizens have good cause to complain of the manner in which they are induced to purchase nostrums to cure catarrh through the blood, without local application. It is impossible. "Carbolic Smoke Ball," lighter than air, penetrates to all portions of the membrane, cleansing and healing. Exercise your judgment by a free test, southeast corner Broadway and Olive, up-stairs. Ladies' parlor.

North St. Louis.

The A. O. U. W. of North St. Louis will give a nickel party December 13 under the auspices of Water Tower Lodge at Kron's Hall, Twentieth and Bissell streets.

Local Union No. 11 of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union, will give its fifth annual supper and ball December 11, at the Social Turner Hall, Thirteenth and Monroe streets.

A committee of ladies will be in attendance at the Girls' Industrial Home, 718 North Eighteenth street Wednesday and Thursday of this week to receive all donations contributed to the Home.

The Brownell & Wight Mutual Aid Society will give an entertainment and hop at the West St. Louis Turner Hall on Thanksgiving eve. Among the talent for the occasion may be mentioned Gus Thomas, J. J. Cahill and J. F. Dugan, who will deliver an illustrated lecture on Central Africa.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Jiminez, the Cuban outlaw, was killed in Havana Friday night.

O. D. Freeman of Corry, Pa., was killed Saturday by a falling tree.

Large numbers of cattle were frozen in the recent blizzard in Nebraska.

The total loss of lives reported in the recent Lake Huron gale was thirty-nine.

Cardinal Jacobini, Papal Secretary of State, has resigned because of ill-health.

Six negroes and two whites were publicly whipped at Newcastle, Del., Saturday.

Daniel H. Workman of Montgomery, Ala., suicided Saturday night with morphine.

The schools and churches are closed in Ishpeming, Mich., on account of diphtheria.

John Coward, a Pittsburg fireman, was killed by falling bricks Saturday afternoon.

Will Gray stabbed and killed Wash Jacobs at Little Rock, Ark., yesterday. Both were colored.

John Richards, a molder of Youngstown, O., was run over and killed Saturday by a street car.

Charles White, colored, aged 24, shot and killed himself yesterday at Louisville, because of unrequited love.

The Paris police are bewildered by finding the dead body of a young woman in lodgings engaged by a young man.

The union of the provinces, Assiniboine, Alberta and Saskatchewan, is being agitated in the Northwest Territory.

John B. Biscoe was convicted of murder at Port Tobacco, Md., Saturday for the killing of Capt. R. B. Dixon last September.

T. J. Boasso, under sentence of fourteen years for forgery, escaped from the Penitentiary at Baton Rouge Saturday night.

John Gullett of Greenleaf, Kan., a brakeman on the Missouri Pacific Railway, was killed at Fort Leavenworth Saturday.

The meetings of Berlin Democrats are held only under the eye of the police. The latter have seized 8,000 Socialistic pamphlets.

Walter, the 10-year-old son of Capt. C. A. Lyerly of Jackson, Miss., was thrown and dragged to death by his pony yesterday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bryant of Lima, O., was burned to death. A spark from the fire ignited its clothes while alone.

The anniversary of the battle of Slivnitza was joyfully celebrated throughout Bulgaria yesterday. Prince Alexander sent a telegram.

Maggie, the 11-year-old daughter of Agnes McKinzie, was burned to death Saturday at Wellsville, O. Her clothes took fire from the grate.

Thomas Minor of Chicago, and P. M. Keeper of St. Louis, were sentenced to the Penitentiary at Wichita, Kan., Saturday, for pocket-picking.

It is rumored in Washington that O. F. Guthrie is soon to succeed E. W. Warfield of St. Louis, Division Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service.

Alexander Crewson of Steubenville, O., shot a grocer named Wheeler Burgess Saturday for selling an account of $4.50 against Crewson to a collection agency.

Miss Jennie Saxton of Burlington, Vt., is being tried for forging the name of John S. Mason, a millionaire, to two orders for $500 and $800 respectively.

M. M. McDonnel, a detective, was drugged and had his arm broken in Detroit Wednesday and put aboard a train for Chicago in a stupor. He died on the way.

Gen. Kaulbars on his way to Constantinople tried to distribute his reply to the Bulgarian Government but the police would't allow it. As usual, Kaulbars protested.

Mrs. Mary Williams, a miserly scrub woman of Philadelphia, with $40,000 in bank, burned to death Saturday by having her ragged clothes take fire from a candle.

Police Officer Henry was killed and Marshall McGuire fatally wounded by John Johnson and Charles Ross, two toughs at Albuquerque, N. M., Saturday night, while attempting their arrest.

The Captain of steamer Normantown, which foundered on the Japan coast, has been held at Yokohama for manslaughter, on the ground that he is responsible for the drowning of the passengers.

The remains of Jim Swan alias Jack Sheppard, the notorious highwayman of Montana, were found near Fort Keogh last week. He escaped arrest after being handcuffed, and in his manacled condition had starved to death.

The Socialists' demonstration in London, yesterday, was quiet. They adopted resolutions calling on the government to relieve the distress of the unemployed. They marched to Premier Salisbury's, but the Marquis had skipped off to the country.

The schooner Long Island of Oyster Bay, L. I., drifted ashore Saturday at Hunter's Point. She was abandoned, and blood on her deck showed that the man at the helm had been murdered. She had been manned by Capt. Thomas Carpenter assisted by Henry Frank.

It is stated that President Cleveland is so superstitious that he will not pass the spot in the B. & O. Depot, Washington, where Garfield was shot. The rumor doesn't state what becomes of his superstition when he enters the White House, Garfield's "house of pain."

During the day only, evening displays abandoned.
To-day and to-morrow
occurs our Grand Opening.
MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.,
Corner 4th and Locust.
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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. W. L. Sheldon delivered the inaugural address to the recently organized Society of Ethical Culture at Pickwick Hall yesterday.

The Gesangverein Eichenkranz gave a ball last night at South St. Louis Turner Hall. Some excellent vocal and instrumental music was given as part of the entertainment.

Mrs. C. O. Reynolds of 3815 Michigan avenue was "victimized" out of $10 Saturday evening by a man who claimed he had information in regard to a fortune which had been left her.

Wm. Thyne, Michael Martin, and George Higgins were arrested yesterday on a charge of burglarizing Frank Reitz's saloon, on the corner of Fourteenth and O'Fallon streets, on Saturday night.

The announcement in Saturday's society column that the party to be given by Mrs. Maffitt had been postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Gratiot, should have read on account of Mrs. Gratiot's illness.

The Central Committee of the International Working People's Association met at Turner Hall yesterday afternoon and extended an invitation to Mrs. L. E. Parsons, wife of the condemned anarchist, to visit St. Louis and lecture.

The Spiritualistic Association met yesterday afternoon and a committee was appointed to confer with the committee of the Council which has under consideration the bill requiring the payment of a $100 license for the practice of spiritualism.

The Liederkranz Society gave its second entertainment of the season Saturday evening at Liederkranz Hall, and a most enjoyable affair it proved to be. The evening's amusement consisted of a hop and musical selections by an excellent orchestra.

Saturday night a man who registered at 1708 Washington avenue as Prof. Julian, formerly of the New York Conservatory of Music, attempted suicide by taking poison. He was sent to the City Hospital and may recover. Despondency is supposed to be the cause of his act.

At an early hour Sunday morning a fire broke out on the second floor of 711 Christy avenue. Joseph Jackson, his wife and six children escaped from a rear window without sustaining any serious injuries in the descent. The fire originated by the overturning of a coal oil lamp.

Saturday evening two men and a boy entered John Fiedler's butcher shop, 3201 Laclede avenue, and while Fiedler was stooping down to fill a basket full of potatoes for the boy, one of the men threw him down and held him while the other went behind the counter and stole $125 in cash and a check for $25.

THE anti-Sullivan faction of Assembly No. 17, of the Knights of Labor, met on Saturday and elected an entirely new set of officers. The officers elected are as follows: S. M. Ryan, Master Workman; P. F. Coghlan, Worthy Foreman; J. B. Dempsey, Recording Secretary; Chas. Wilson, Financial Secretary, and Nat Eaton, Treasurer.

The John Sobieske Polish Benefit Society was organized yesterday at Lightstone's Hall. The following officers were elected: Julius Troenoski, President; John Jacoboski, Vice-President; Frank Balckevey, Secretary, and V. Paucki, Treasurer. The membership numbers seventy-two. A benefit of $6 a week in case of sickness, and $500 to the widow of a deceased member were agreed upon.

To-Morrow at the Globe.

Children's flannel waists, 35 cents; good knee-pants, 20 cents; boys' good vests, 25 cents, at the
GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

THE CITY HALL.

TWO TERRIBLE CASES OF JUVENILE TOTAL DEPRAVITY.

Patrolman Griffith Tells Why He Arrested Two Young Boys—Work for the Municipal Assembly—Municipal Notes and Gossip.

The meeting of the Municipal Assembly to-morrow night will be one of the most important of the session. In the Council the Iron Mountain elevated railroad bill will probably be returned by the committee, which met this afternoon. The record of the vote will be a marked page in the Council proceedings and will distinguish at least one Councilman. Seven members have already braved the opinion of the public and voted for the bill. President Allen is as yet untried as he was in Europe when the vote was taken. Five of the members opposed the bill, and the hopes of its passage over the veto are founded on the anticipated change of base of some one of the five. At the City Hall the discussions of this piece of legislation can be heard in any of the offices. "Who will he be?" is a question asked on all sides.

THE TUCKER BILL.

In the House of Delegates the Tucker elevated road bill will be the special order of business. "It will come up to be passed or killed to-morrow night," said Delegate Stone this morning. "The first clause will be accepted in its amended shape. As the voting has gone on so far the bill has twenty votes in the house. I don't know what the opposition to this bill is founded on. It is said the bill will depreciate the value of property. Why the best answer to that is New York, where the valuations along the route increased $135,000,000 in four years. Nor was this increase in the resident portion alone, but also in the business part of the city. The people want a franchise to build an elevated road running out Clark aveuue or Walnut street at least 260 feet south of the Laclede avenue line, one branch to run to Forest Park, another to the south end of town and another to the northern limits, adjusting itself to the city boundaries. They are willing to enter into contract to have part of this road built within a certain number of days and the whole of it in a certain number of working days, in all less than four years, I think it is. They are willing to put into the City Treasurer's hands a forfeit to bind them to carry out these provisions. They don't want to run any freight or connecting road and I am even in favor of putting in a provision empowering the city to prevent any such an abuse at any time by a revocation of the franchise. They want to give the suburban residents a cheap and rapid transportation. They want to make an investment here of between six and eight million dollars. We can, in granting this franchise surround the city's rights by safe guards of undoubted reliability, and I fail to see any good ground for opposing such an enterprise. Of course the bill should be amended in some particulars. I intend to offer an amendment to the effect that they shall use the most approved smoke consumers. I offered such an amendment, but it was voted down with some others. I intend, however, to introduce it again."

YOUTHFUL DEPRAVITY.

Officer Griffith led two snuffling lads, neither of whom was as tall as the grate, into the Mayor's office to-day. He said that about 3 o'clock this morning he was accosted by one of the boys, a Baltimore & Ohio messenger, who said his name was Jackson, and that he had been robbed of 50 cents by Mamie Derby, an old timer, at 609 Spruce street, who was under arrest some years ago for fleecing a Californian of several hundred dollars. The officer entered the house with the lad, and there discovered another boy of about 12 years in bed. The latter gave his name as Murrell, and an investigation showed that the Murrell boy was a constant visitor to the Derby woman, on whom Jackson had called twice. Both boys and the woman were placed under arrest. The woman was arraigned to-day before Judge Cady in the First District Police Court, and was fined $25. On the officer's statement Messenger Jackson was released with a warning. The Murrell boy was committed to the House of Refuge.

COMMITTEE WORK.

Six committees of the House of Delegates will meet to-morrow to arrange the business for the evening session. The Committee on Public Improvements will consider the Commissioner's reports on several alley openings. The Ways and Means Committee will discuss a bill providing for additional street lamps for the Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth Wards, also a bill providing for repairs at the Female Hospital, the estimated cost of which will be $22,000. Dr. Hulburt, Superintendent of the institution, has addressed the committee a letter showing the urgent need of the repairs called for in the bill. Another bill for lighting the Work-house and the House of Refuge with electricity from plants on the premises will be considered. A bill to license pool-rooms and book-makers will also come up for consideration.

The Committee on Claims has some peculiar cases for consideration. They will be brought up in connection with Delegate Monahan's bill for the relief of property-holders on Broadway, between Morgan and Biddle streets, who have been heavily taxed to meet the expenses of street reconstruction. In one instance the assessment on a piece of property which is only valued at $4,000 amounts to $2,700, and the owner cannot mortgage the house and lot for enough to pay the tax which, by reason of the peculiar location, is assessed for each of the streets to which the lot extends. The matter has been submitted to the City Counselor, who agreed that it was a hardship on the owner, but one for which he could suggest no relief. The committee will also consider a sewer claim by Mr. Kramer amounting to $1,200. The Police and Work-house Committee will meet at 4 p. m. The Committee on Railroads and the Special Committee on Taxing Professional Spiritualists will meet at 3 p. m.

Underground Conduits.

Col. Henry Flad, President of the Board of Public Improvements, has returned from a trip to New York and Washington, where he made an examination of the conduit systems that have been already tested. In his last annual report Col. Flad devoted several pages to the question of placing telegraph wires under ground. He is of opinion that a tunnel will be necessary in a few years and is inclined to believe that the most practical system is to put telephone, telegraph, electric light, gas and water mains and pneumatic tubes, which he anticipates will come into use in a few years in one common tunnel, so divided as to prevent the currents from interfering and to permit of perfect drainage.

The Mayor, City Officials

and Members of the Council and Assembly will please adjourn and attend the marvelously beautiful opening at the

Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Co.,
COR. FOURTH AND LOCUST,

and listen to the sweet strains of Spiering's Grand Orchestra, from 2:30 to 6 o'clock, to-day and to-morrow.

Remember evening displays abandoned.

"BOODLER" McQUADE.

Alderman O'Neil's Cross-Examination Finished—The Defense Summing Up.

New York, November 22.—At the trial of ex-Alderman McQuade to-day there were few present who were not actively engaged in the trial. Shortly after 11 o'clock Mr. Nicoll resumed the cross-examination of Alderman John O'Neil.

At the conclusion of the examination of the witness, Mr. Newcombe introduced the minutes of the Board of Aldermen for 1884 to prove that McQuade had twice voted against railroad bills in Jersey City and Brooklyn and the Thirty-fourth street roads. Ex-Alderman Lewis Wendell and ex-Alderman Charles Reilly were examined. It was finally decided to sum up without the evidence of ex-Alderman Cleary, who is sick, and Mr. Newcombe began his address to the jury. Mr. Newcombe is still speaking.

Small Stealings.

About 7 o'clock last evening, while the family of Dr. Mulhall, No. 2305 Olive street, were at supper, thieves got into the second story of the house by climbing up a porch in the rear and entering through a window. They got a lady's gold watch, a lady's lace pin set with rubies and a solid silver purse containing $50.

Saturday afternoon a coat, vest and pair of shoes belonging to E. E. Purcell were stolen from his boarding-house, 702 N. Jefferson avenue, and a pair of pants belonging to T. F. McCullough, a boarder, were taken at the same time.

While Miss Mamie Carroll of 815 Market street was at the Dime Museum last night her pocket was picked of $8 in cash and two gold rings.

At 8:30 last evening, while Miss Belle Burgess, living at 1903 Oregon avenue, was walking along Jefferson between Park and Eads avenues, on her way home, her hand satchel was snatched from her by some thief.

Thieves entered the residence of Joseph Kircher, rear of 1437 North Eleventh street, last night, and stole $17 in cash from his pants pocket. A gold watch which was in the same pocket was not taken.

FLOWERS, GEMS AND MUSIC.

A Daytime Illumination—Throngs of Ladies Witness Its Beauties.

A child in Fairyland, a fevered patient in the laving, tinkling patter of a crystal fountain, a despondent and despairing lover in the soft embraces of his relenting mistress, a sand-parched Arab of the desert in the fragrant smell of the buxom sea, none could feel so delightfully dazed as the spectator for the first moment does who steps into the glittering display of the Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Co. made in their grand opening to-day at their spacious stores on Fourth and Locust street. Hundreds of gas lights burn all day long giving all the brilliancy and beauty of a night display without the inconvenience of one. The shining wares, the concave and reflecting spoons, the radiant jewels, gather and give back the rays and multiply the hundred lights beyond enumeration. The handsome display defies description. The strains of an orchestra come from some unseen place and the air is heavy with the smell of blossoms that extravagantly try to hide the beauties of the gems they half conceal. Every show-case is an independent and a rival exhibition of itself. The pillars in the store are wrapped with tinted cashmere and twined with living garlands. In the center of the room a miniature Garden of Eden has been built and a parian Eve from the art department of the display stands in her bower. The jewel-case has in it more novelties in design than have ever been shown at one time before in this city. In the center is a tower of diamonds at the base of which lies a single diamond that would grace an imperial crown. It is called the mountain of light. Moonstones are there that would inspire a weaker imagination than that of Wilkie Collins. One of these wierd gems is set in a star of rubies. A true-lovers' knot is made of stones so closely set that they are one blaze of light. The same exquisite workmanship is shown in a salamander. The heart made of a ruby and cluster diamonds, which sold in the Morgan sale, New York, for $25,000, is reproduced and shown here in facsimile. The watches, silverware, bracelets, pins, rings, table-ware and a dozen other specialties are prize shows, every one. A complete change has been made in the art department. Beautiful mantel effects are produced by artistic groupings and there is a generous showing of art potteries, toilet and mantel sets and bisque figures. In the Christmas card display there are some most beautiful, exquisite and artistic things ever made. Steel engravings on ivory and hand-painting of great merit and low prices are displayed. Perhaps no case is more truly beautiful than that containing the line of clocks. These are genuine novelties in marbles and Mexican onyx wrought in dignified designs of towns and columns and fitted with alto bells that chime so softly as to scarcely jar a thought. There are Dresden bowls and painted china, bric-a-brac, umbrellas, and everything dainty and beautiful that has made this house reputed through the country.

All day long the rooms have been thronged, carriages have lined the curb and crowds have stood in front of the windows which are elaborately fitted. The opening and illumination will continue to-morrow.

A HOT WATER ASSAULT

Which Cost Henry W. Hartman $100—A Very Queer Fight.

Henry W. Hartman keeps a saloon at the corner of Lynch street and Lemp avenue. Early on the morning of the 10th inst. August Fehrenzweg, a sewing machine agent, entered the saloon with a canvasser who took contracts to enlarge photographs. After they had taken a couple of drinks together, the photograph man proceeded to spread out his samples on a beer table and asked for Mrs. Hartmann to be called down to see them. The saloon-keeper no sooner learned the business of the men than he became quite indignant and ordered them out, telling the photograph man that they were all a lot of frauds. Fehrenzweg determined that though his friend might stand this insult, he would not, and proceeded to inform the saloon-keeper that he was one canvasser who was not a fraud. They had words, and soon he and Hartman were engaged in a tussle. Getting away from Fehrenzweg, Hartman went back into the kitchen and got a kettle of boiling water and poured the steaming liquid down the sewing-machine man's neck and back, scalding him badly. Fehrenzweg had him arrested on a charge of assault and battery, and the case was tried in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day before Acting Judge Harvey and Hartman was fined $100.

St. Louis Art Company's Great Sacrifice.

Provident Savings Bank's pictures, 715 Olive, to make room for our large, elegant new stock of pictures, artists' materials, etc.

Belleville.

Sheriff-elect John Ragland has filed his bond of $10,000, and will assume charge of the office December 1.

Mr. Ernest Merz, formerly Deputy Sheriff, has accepted a position with the firm of Fietsam & Tindale.

The East St. Louis Gas and Oil Company will begin to bore for natural gas near Harmony in a couple of days.

The funeral of Mr. Christian Vetter, who died Saturday, took place this morning from his late residence, on Second North street.

The Circuit Court was in session this morning but no cases of any importance were heard. The East St. Louis criminal cases will not be docketed for this term.

A Fatal Break-Down.

Detroit, November 22.—This morning, a little after 10 o'clock, in the new Cyclorama building on Larned street, about twenty feet of the scaffolding gave way, precipitating four carpenters to the ground, fifty feet below. Two others saved themselves by catching the broken scaffolding. Michael Geegle was killed instantly. J. Austin's head struck a piece of the scaffolding crushing in his face so that he died while on the way to the hospital. William Reader had a leg broken and was injured interally. His recovery is doubtful. George Phillips sustained internal injuries besides having a broken leg, and a smashed arm. It is thought he will recover. The accident was caused by the men crowding in one spot.

A Wrecked Schooner.

Detroit, November 22.—An Evening Journal special from Montague says: Persons driving on the beach yesterday discovered the wreck of the schooner L. J. Conway of Muskegon at the mouth of Flower Creek, about seven miles north of town. The vessel is a total wreck and the entire crew is believed to be lost.

Killed by a Boar.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

Chattanooga, Tenn., November 22.—News of a horrible affair comes from Cattletsburg, north of this city. A farmer named Thrower, while driving some hogs was attacked by a boar and torn to pieces. The infuriated animal knocked the man down, seized him in the abdomen, and tore his body almost in twain.

Schooner Wrecked.

Chicago, November 22.—The schooner Belle Walbridge, owned by C. N. Charnley of this city, while bound from Sturgeon Bay to Chicago, with a load of lumber, went on the Pier at Sheboygan. She is a total wreck. The crew escaped.

A Big Blaze.

Philadelphia, November 22.—Fire at Marysville, Pa., this morning, destroyed seven buildings including a stable, hotel, five dwellings and two stores. Loss $30,000.

REDISTRICTING THE CITY.

The Commission Getting to Work—Legal and Other Difficulties.

Judges Fisse and Lindley and Mr. J. W. O'Connell, the committee assigned the duty of redistricting the city met this morning at Judge Fisse's office to lay out the preliminaries for their work. There was considerable discussion among them as to what extent they should consider the old boundary lines of the wards in thus reforming them. The section of the city charter which requires this redistricting to be done says that the Municipal Assembly shall every five years after the adoption of the charter establish corrected ward limits as near as practicable so as to equalize the number of registered voters, but in making the division the present eastern and western boundaries of wards as herein established shall be retained so that Rosatti, Twelfth and Eleventh streets, Jefferson avenue and the present city limits shall remain division lines.

An act of the General Assembly of 1885, entitled "An act to secure equal representations in all cities and towns in this State," has in its second section the following regarding the establishment of new ward boundaries: "They shall be made as near as practicable so as to equalize the number of registered voters in each ward and in such correction they shall not be governed or controlled by any old ward lines except so far as the same may secure the purpose of this act."

In opinions formed from the first reading of these two sections Judges Lindley and Fisse seemed to take different grounds. Judge Lindley said that it appeared to him that the old division lines as designated in the charter would have to be observed as the session act, if it repealed the charter provision, did so only by implication, and that a judge could easily and consistently take either side on that proposition. Both gentlemen said the matter was one that would require more consideration and could not be determined by them to-day. Judge Fisse, however, cited the opinion of the Supreme Court in the case of Ewing vs. Hoblitzelle, which he said contained many points applicable to the apparent clash of these two sections above given. One of the clauses in the opinion reads as follows:

"We do not hold that the Legislature in exercising the power referred to in section 25, article 9, of the Constitution, can exercise it by the passage of a local or special law, but that it can do so by a general law we have no doubt, and when it is exercised, as we think it has been exercised in the act of 1883, by a general law and such law is, in any of its provisions, in conflict with a charter provision, that the law prevails over the charter in obedience to the mandates of the Constitution that such charter and amendments shall always be in harmony with and subject to the Constitution and laws of the State.

The section 25 of article IX of the Constitution referred to is one giving the General Assembly the same power over the City and County of St. Louis that it has over other cities and counties in the State.

The possibility of the correction of the ward boundaries doing away with some of the present Senatorial districts, as was the case some time ago when Senator Rogers was left without a constituency, was discussed and the conclusion reached that the commission could not hamper itself with consideration of the lines of either congressional, senatorial, representative or judicial districts.

Later in the day the gentlemen visited Recorder Hoblitzelle and Mayor Francis with the view of getting a room at the City Hall in which to prosecute their work. The only available place at last account seemed to be a lumber room in the third story.

Regret was expressed by the gentlemen of the commission that their work would have to be done from the last registration, which they regard as meagre and insufficient.

WANTS $50,000.

The Adams Express Company Stirs Up the Wrong "Jim Cummings."

Late this afternoon a damage suit for $50,000 was filed in the Circuit Court by J. J. McCann and L. J. Smith in behalf of E. D. Coleman against the Adams Express Company. This is one result of the detective agency's efforts to ferret out the express robbery. Mr. Coleman complains that on the night of Tuesday, the 9th of November, at 11 o'clock while he was lying sick with fever at a boarding-house in Topeka, Kan., his room was invaded by three employes of Pinkerton's detective agency, who, regardless of his enfeebled condition, proceeded to ransack his room and all its contents and to annoy him with questions. He alleges that they opened his business and private correspondence and read it; unlocked and perused the contents of his valise; examined his clothing, and, compelling him to move, examined the bed-clothing for correspondence; hinted at his arrest, one of the detectives remarking that he believed at last they had struck the right man. One detective was left in the hall to watch the movements of the plaintiff. The following day he was accosted in a store by two members of the same detective agency, and he was in duress for a short time. On the Saturday following he came to St. Louis and was approached in his room on Twelfth street and Washington avenue by agents of the defendants who insisted upon his coming to the Southern Hotel to answer certain questions, or else to surrender certain private papers and correspondence. His wife uttered a remonstrance on account of his sickness but it had no effect, and he was perplexed, harassed, mortified, annoyed and exposed to groundless suspicion. His private affairs were exposed and his reputation injured, for all of which he asks $50,000 damages of the express company.

LOCAL DEVELOPMENTS.

There were no developments of importance in the express robbery case to-day. Fotheringham had not applied for bail and the Pinkerton detectives and the express officials had no news to make public.

MORE COLD

A Savage Storm Sweeping from the West—The Black Flag Ordered Up.

The cold wave flag was ordered up this morning at 7 o'clock for a fall of 20 deg. in the next thirty-six hours. This cold will result from the passing off of the low barometer area that has been dampening this locality to-day. Yesterday the storm could easily be seen coming toward St. Louis from Nebraska and Kansas, where the barometer was down to 29.50. It influenced this city at 6 a. m. to-day, when the column fell to 29.77. At 3 p. m. the low area was full upon this region, the local Signal office announcing the fall of the barometer to 29.50. It was 68 deg. in temperature this morning so that a realization of the warning would not mean so very much. The reports from the Northwest were missing this morning, and no idea of the temperature there can be learned. It is not unlikely the cold wave will be more than thirty-six hours coming here.

A Great Storm Brewing.

Chicago, November 22.—The Signal Service Bureau states that another great storm is brewing and predicts that by the middle of the week a gale of wind, rain and snow, accompanied by perhaps a zero fall in temperature will arrive from the west and cross the lake with terrible vengeance, doing great damage to the vessels out of port. The storm is raging in Central Nebraska to-day and traveling eastward at railroad speed. "It will be upon us in all its fury by Wednesday," said the chief of the Chicago bureau.

Political Notes.

Recorder of Voters Hoblitzelle, who has been absent from the city on a hunting trip, with Circuit Attorney Glover and others, returned to-day.

Nathan Frank is absent from the city. He will return to-morrow, and will then serve notice of contest on Congressman Glover, who is also expected home in the morning.

Probable Murder.

Last night, about 9 o'clock, John Stuentz, living at 811 Miller street, while drunk got into a fight at Third and Barton streets and was probably fatally cut in the throat and head by an unknown party.

James G., Jr., on His Sire's Aims.

From an Interview in the Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Will your father be a candidate for President in 1888?" asked the Enquirer.

"Yes. He will be renominated and will be elected," said the young man decidedly.

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AMONG THE BROKERS.

Stocks Dull and Lower—The Call Committee—Mining Gossip.

On call to-day $145 was bid for fifty shares Continental Bank.

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Trading in mining stocks was light this morning, and prices of all but Mexican Improvement were lower.

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C. F. Hall, proprietor of the Modern Miller, Kansas City, was on the floor this morning.

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The Lochiel Directors will meet shortly to determine if they will put out any more treasury stock, and at what figures.

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The mills all complain that they can not get any wheat because it is all owned by the elevator men.

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The regular Yavapai report was received this morning. It was regarded as favorable. There was no trading in the stock during the day.

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Secretary Ross says he has no knowledge of any intention to reorganize the Peacock company January 1.

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Iron, Gold and Silver sold at 52½ cents on Saturday. There was nothing doing in it to-day. Quincy was flat and offered at 17 cents.

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On the call to-day two call board chairs were sold. No. 55 sold for $75 to J. Will Boyd. No. 63 sold for $50 to Will Gardner. There was only one bid in each case.

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On call Sheridan was weak. Tom Jacobs was out of the city and there seemed no inclination on the part of anyone else to bid for the stock. It was offered from $7.75 down to $7.40. Then bidding started at $5 and climbed to $7, which was bid by Goldman. At the close it was offered at $7.30.

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The regular Granite Mountain report was not received to-day owing to delay in the mail caused by storms. Secretary Field received returns from car No. 8 which nets $14,000 or nearly $700 to the ton. On call there was no bid for Granite and none offered.

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Mexican Improvement held its own all day. There was no trading in it on the street. On call it started at $1.60 bid, offered at $1.75. G. W. Campbell bid $1.65 for 1,000 shares and Ewald sold him 1,000. Ewald then offered 1,000 more at the same price. After some skirmishing, McNair took this second 1,000 and bid $1.65 for 1,000 more. At the close $1.60 was bid for 100, with offers at $1.70. Ewald owned about 3,000 shares which he got around $1.20.

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Ideal was very weak to-day. On the street it was offered at $1.55 early. Quite a block was sold at this price to outsiders, but all the brokers seemed pretty well loaded and only waiting for the call to throw it on the market. On call Ryan bid $1.50 and Miller sold him 100 shares. The stock was then offered at $1.50@1.47½. Gaylord sold 100 at $1.45 to Ryan. Ewald bid $1.45 and got 100 from Crandall. Ewald was evidently endeavoring to uphold the stock. He bid $1.45 for 500 shares and Gaylord sold him two lots of 500 shares each. Then Ewald pulled out and Gaylord offered the stock at $1.45 with $1.42 bid. On the street later 1,000 shares were offered at $1.40. This is looked upon as a preconcerted attempt to bear the market.

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A broker was displaying on 'Change this morning a letter from a stock broker in Butte, Mont., saying that the insiders bought up the floating West Granite stock and repooled it, thinking there would be a big market for it here. He also wrote that the Bi-Metallic strike was bone fide and that the West Granite's chances of being a good property were about one in a million. The West Granite people here now claim that the Bi-Metallic has "the North Granite vein," and that the Granite Mountain vein runs down into the Rattlesnake claim of the West Granite.

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"Dinero property as it was purchased by us had never been offered to any one else," said H. B. Slaughter this morning. "The Dinero claim was bonded last spring for $60,000. During the term of the bond, over $80,000 was taken out of the mine, and the owner was in great fear that the mine would be taken. The bond expired, however, and afterwards he added two other properties that cost $30,000. Then there were a good many improvements made on the property before we bought it. We have not decided yet how we will organize, but $2 was bid for the stock to-day on the supposition that the mine will be capitalized for $3,000,000 in 300,000 shares of $10 each." It is understood that John W. Kauffman will assume the Presidency of the company.

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There was a flurry of excitement on the floor of the Exchange this morning when Col. Wm. Nichols, the President of the Commercial Bank, made his appearance, bearing in his good right hand a genuine solid-gold brick. A large crowd gathered around Col. Nichols and the superstitious brokers begged a chance to rub their hands over it for luck. The scalpers from the pit came over and formed a line reaching to the door with the idea of "passing it out," but their plan was frustrated. Col. Nichols explained to the admiring throng that the brick was from the White Oak Mine in New Mexico, the property in which the Wells are largely interested. The brick was a sample of the three or four received every week from the mine. Its value is between $7,000 and $8,000. The owners of the White Oak sunk a great deal of money before they began to realize on their property. Finally the big stockholders bought out the little ones and recently put some new machinery into the mine.

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The Stock Call Committee held another meeting this morning to consider the proposed revision of the rules governing the listing of mining stock. Secretary Morgan had sent out notices to the members of the Committee Saturday evening that the White Fan Company had complied with all the Committee's conditions in a supplemental report and wanted action on its application. This application came up for consideration this morning, and after some debate the members of the committee agreed upon the following order, which they asked the Directors of the Exchange to ratify: "Pending the revision of the rules and negotiations governing the listing of mining stocks no applications will be received by the Stock Call Committee until further notice." This notice was submitted to President Cobb, who ordered it read on call. The committee expect to complete the revision of the rules this week.

ABOUT TOWN.

Ex-Judge Henry D. Laughlin went to Union, Mo., to-day to try the cases of the railroad strikers which are docketed for hearing there. He represents the railroad company.

The Boilmakers' Union will give a ball on next Wednesday evening (Thanksgiving eve) at St. Patrick's Hall. Excellent music has been secured for the occasion and a good time may be expected.

Salmon Goodrich, a negro who escaped from the Murray County (Ky.) Jail, where he was confined for robbery, was arrested here to-day by Detectives Lawler and Desmond. He was taken to the Four Courts and will be held for the Kentucky authorities.

Tom Conch and Mac Robinson returned this morning from Knoble, Ark., where they had been hunting and fishing. They report both sports good on Black River, they bringing with them as testimony good bags of game and any number of fine fish. They left "Fil" Helery and Frank J. Brown busily engaged in catching bass and two pair.

Charged With Highway Robbery.

To-day Sergt. Boyd and Officers Scully and Langworth arrested Ben Hoffman, employed on the steamer Emma C. Elliott, on a charge of highway robbery. On June 30 three men attacked Mrs. Kate Brink, whose nusband keeps a boarding-house at No. 300 South Main street, and two of them held her while the third searched her. They robbed her of her gold watch and chain valued at $50. She positively identifies Hoffman, who formerly boarded with her, as one of the men. A warrant for robbery in the first degree was issued against him this morning.

The Bridal Bulletin.

Name and Age.	Residence.
Ernst G. Wylie, 23	2007 California av
Susie E. Logan, 21	2744 Geyer av
Geo. T. Boeslager, 28	1016 Pine st
Mattie Stewart, 28	1016 Pine st
Patrick J. Borden	City
Annie E. Shea	City
Love Powell, 34	1408 Chestnut st
Mary Buckner, 29	13 N. Fifteenth st
Jas. C. Morgan, 27	623 Morgan st
Mary Glasgow, 30	623 Morgan st
Geo. B. Holland, 26	1515 Singleton st
Mary J. Eberins, 20	3329 N. Sixteenth st
John W. Bland, 35	2664 Scott av
Mary Connors, 25	18th st. and Washington avs
John E. Dougherty, 25	Morley, Mo.
Kate Noble, 19	1226 High st
Joseph Wittings 24	3219 Palm st
Marie Dreper, 21	Twentieth and Benton sts
Frederick Dreher, 29	2638 Blair av
Mathilde Sorns, 20	2700 Cambria st
August Beckmann, 25	3519 Blair av
Lizzie Haarmann, 20	2721 North Nintn st

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DIED.

ADAMS—November 20, at 4:45 p. m., after a short illness, John H. Adams, at his residence, 2915 Sheridan avenue, of pneumonia, in his 47th year.

Funeral from St. George's Church Tuesday, at 3 o'clock.

HIRSCHBERG—The funeral of Mrs. Lizzie M. Hirschberg, daughter-in-law of Louis Chauvin Hirschberg, occurred this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her father, Mr. James Mulholland, 1606 Olive st.

SCHRAGE—Henry W. Schrage, beloved son of W. H. Schrage and Wilhelmene Schrage, nee Schlink, died Sunday evening after a brief and painful illness, at the age of 13 years, 8 months and 4 days.

Funeral Tuesday, 23d inst., at 1:30 o'clock p. m. from residence No. 1426 North Market st. Friends of the family are cordially invited to attend.

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Friday Evening, Benefit of MISS SELMA KRONOLD, (first time here) Lortzing's	Undine
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Saturday Eevening	Czar and Zimmerman
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OFFICE of the St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association, No. 718 Chestnut st., St. Louis, November 19, 1886.—In accordance with the charter, the transfer books of this Association will be closed fifteen days before the election. Said books will be closed from November 24 to December 11, 1886, both dates inclusive. CHARLES GREEN, President.
FESTUS J. WADE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF TURNER REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION, November 11, 1886.—The regular annual election for six (6) directors of this company to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, 706 Pine st., on Tuesday, November 23, 1886. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m. THOS. T. TURNER, President.

OFFICE Gold Hill Mining Company, St. Louis, Mo., November 13, 1886. A special meeting of the stockholders for the election of trustees of the Gold Hill Mining Company and such other business as may be brought before the meeting will be held at the office of the company at Pioneer, Deer Lodge County, Montana Territory, November 29, 1886. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon until 4 o'clock p. m.

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JOHN S. PHELPS.

The Ex-Governor of Missouri Passes Quietly Away Saturday Evening.

At the Sisters' Hospital on Saturday evening at 9 o'clock ex-Gov. John S. Phelps passed away. The only watcher at his bedside was his son, John E. Phelps. The end came almost unexpectedly, for an hour before he had been resting quietly, and the physician thought his condition was slightly improved. The disease which caused his death was a kidney trouble from which he had suffered for many years, and which assumed a serious phase nearly a year ago. He had been an inmate of the hospital since Monday last, and late in the week his condition was considered critical, but on Saturday it was thought he would live for at least a week. His daughter, Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, is now on her way here from Portland, Ore. She is expected to arrive Thursday, and the funeral has been postponed to await her coming.

Yesterday a number of prominent citizens called at the hospital, among them the Mayor, who said that he would appoint a representative delegation to accompany the remains to Springfield. During the day the remains were embalmed, and at 4 o'clock they were removed to Smithers & Wagoner's, where they will remain until Friday.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

John S. Phelps was born at Simsbury, Conn., December 22, 1814. His father, Elisha Phelps, had served two terms in Congress, and had been one of the most prominent lawyers in the State. John S. Phelps studied law at Trinity College, Hartford. In 1835 he began the study of law and two years later, having taken unto himself a wife, hereмoved to Boonville in this State. Later in the same year he removed to Springfield, which was his home to the time of his death. In 1840 Mr. Phelps was sent to the Legislature and in 1844 to Congress. He remained in Congress for nineteen consecutive years and during that time was a member of the most important committees, and for a time Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means. He prepared the bill creating the Department of the Interior, the bill reducing the rate of postage to three cents, and many important Territorial measures. In 1863 he resigned his seat in Congress to accept the coloneicy of a regiment in the Union army. He remained in command until President Lincoln made him military Governor of Arkansas. At the close of the war he became a candidate for United States Senator, but, with the rest of the Democratic nominees for State and Federal positions, he was defeated. In 1868 he was nominated for Governor, but was beaten. He then retired from active political life until 1876, when he was again nominated for Governor over Geo. G. Vest, and he was elected. In 1879 he was a candidate for United States Senator against F. M. Cockrell, but he was again defeated. In 1881 Gov. Phelps retired from office and returned to his home in Springfield. Here he remained, with frequent intervals spent in this city. Last year he spent nearly eight months in the Planters' House, too ill to be removed to his home.

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The Congregation of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church Enjoy a Rare Sight.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, November 22.—The congregation of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church were not a little surprised yesterday morning to see fifty live Indians, resplendent in bead-embroidered hunting shirts, file stolidly into the sacred edifice and seat themselves in the front pews. The fifty representatives of the Sioux, Pawnees and Cheyenne tribes are encamped with the pale-faced chief, Buffalo Bill, in the great tepee, the Madison Square Garden. They attended divine service at the pressing request of the Rev. A. L. Riggs, who has been a missionary among the Dakotas for many years. It took the congregation fully ten minutes to become reconciled to the strange visitors, but when this had been accomplished the services proceeded in the customary way. The only innovation was that after the benediction Dr. Riggs announced that two hymns in the Sioux language would be rendered by the visitors. The hymns were "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer My God to Thee." Considered from a linguistic stand-point the rendition was one of the most extraordinary ever heard in a church, and when Rocky Bear, Chief of the Sioux, delivered himself of a tremolo whoop at the last stanza, nervous old gentlemen felt of their heads to learn if the bald spot had grown larger.

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Dakota's Wheat Crop.

FARGO, Dak., November 22.—The wheat crop of the Red River Valley proves to be larger than the estimates. The elevators and warehouses along the line of the Manitoba Road are full to overflowing, and in some of the towns the farmers pile the sacks out of doors, as the railroad is unable to furnish cars fast enough to haul it to market. The Manitoba Road has 4,900 cars, but many of them are tied up at Duluth, owing to the lack of facilities there to handle the grain. The railroads say the movement of grain from the Red River Valley is unprecedented.

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The appearance of Father Tolton, the colored priest, in this city yesterday served to fill St. Elizabeth's Colored Catholic Church at both services. In the evening Father Tolton delivered a sermon. Being the only colored Catholic priest in America his actions in the sanctuary were closely watched, but he acquitted himself very creditably. The audience was composed principally of white people.

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

PRINCE BISMARCK'S PREDICTION OF THE GERMAN NATIONAL UNITY.

The Remarkable Declaration Made by the Iron Chancellor While Prussian Ambassador at Paris—Disraeli's "Count Ferrol"—Repeating Rifles for the European Armies—Byron's Poetical Fragments.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, November 22.—[Copyright, 1886.]—A new story about Bismarck is told in the recently published memoirs of Count Vitzthum. During the international exhibition at London in 1862, Prince Bismarck, who was at that time Prussian Ambassador at Paris, came over to a dinner given in London by the Russian Ambassador, Baron Brunnow, and met Disraeli, with whom he had a long conversation. Count Vitzthum says that Disraeli subsequently told him that Bismarck made the following remarkable declaration: "I shall soon be compelled to undertake the leadership of the Prussian Government. My first task will be the reorganization of the army with or without the assistance of the Landtag. The King has very justly set himself this task, but he cannot carry it out with his present counsellors. As soon as the army has reached the necessary efficiency I shall seize the first occasion to declare war against Austria, to demolish the German confederation, to subdue the middle and smaller States, and to give to Germany a national unity under Prussian leadership. I have come here to tell this to the Queen's ministers.' All the world knows how nearly this declaration has been fulfilled. Count Vitzthum says that Disraeli's comment on Bismarck at the time was: "Watch that man, he means what he says." The impression made by Prince Bismarck's speech on Lord Beaconsfield must have been very marked, for he appears to have embodied it in his last novel, "Endymion." Bismarck is described under the pseudonym of Count Ferrol as follows:

"About this time Count Ferrol made a visit to England. He was always a welcome guest there, and had received the greatest distinction which England could bestow upon a foreigner—he had been elected an honorary member of White's. In the course of a conversation with Lady Montford he said: 'My master wants me to return home and to be minister. I am to fashion for him a new constitution. I will never have anything to do with constitutions. Their inventors are always their first victims. Instead of making a constitution he should make a country and convert his heterogeneous domains into a patriotic dominion.'

" 'But how is this to be done?" asked Lady Montford.

" 'There is only one way—by blood and by iron.'

" 'My dear Count, you shock me.'

" 'I shall have to shock you a great deal more before the inevitable is brought about.' "

THE MAUSER RIFLE.

The converted Mauser rifle now transferred into a repeating weapon has been supplied to five corps of the Germany army. Gen. Boulanger will immediately ask the French Assembly to grant the necessary funds with which to convert all those of the French army into repeating rifles. The Austrian Government has announced this week the adoption of the Mannlicher rifle which fires eighty shots per minute. The English military atuhorities are also busy with a new rifle. The Enfield-Martini sent out to the soldiers last spring for experimenting purposes has not proved satisfactory and the extensive manufactory of them was suddenly stopped two weeks ago. Another rifle, more nearly like the old Martini-Henry, has been distributed this week for trial. The Governments of England, France, Germany and Austro-Hungary will spend nearly a hundred million next year in effecting the changes.

BYRON'S POETICAL FRAGMENTS.

According to the Athenæum of this week some unpublished poetical fragments by Lord Byron will appear in the first number of Murray's Magazine, a new publication soon to be issued. It is inferred that they are from the collection prepared for a book to be called "Byroniana," which never appeared. The collection was made by Mr. Murray, Byron's publisher, from whose house the new magazine is to be issued.

SIBERIA.

Statistics just published by the Russian Government give some interesting facts about Siberia as a penal colony. The number of convicts and political exiles sent to Siberia from 1874 to 1884 numbered nearly 1,000,000 men and women. Fifty thousand were sent between 1863 and 1873, while the number sent out during the present reign reaches 146,380. The number of escapes during the past twenty years has amounted to 24 per cent. Women form one-fifth of the total number of exiles. As most of them are over 40 years of age, very few marry, and, to make matters worse, marriage is prohibited for the first five years of exile. Two-thirds of the crimes in Siberia are committed by the exiles, and because of this, of their misery and the numerous escapes, the Russian Government is seriously considering the advisability of abolishing the present system of Siberian deportation.

A GOOD dinner is not complete without good wines. All who would procure first-class goods, champagnes, Rhine wines, Clarets, Burgundies, Sauternes, port, sherries, cognac, whisky, cordials, stout, ale, etc., call at Louis Halle's, 508 North Broadway, who imports all wines direct through the St. Louis Custom-house. Specialty made of family trade.

A DANGEROUS SCHEME.

Stabbed by a Slanderer—Shot His Neighbor—Missouri Matters.

WARRENTON, November 22.—Wm. Smith, a prisoner from Marthasville, made an attempt yesterday to burn the jail. He was almost suffocated by the time the officers reached him.

NEVADA, November 22.—Wm. Hargrave dangerously stabbed Thos. Barrett yesterday on the street. Barrett struck him for making disrespectful remarks about his wife.

DEXTER, November 22.—An anti-horse thief association was organized here on Saturday night.

PLATTSBURG, November 22.—R. L. Shackelford, a farmer, surrendered to the Sheriff yesterday stating that he had a quarrel with J. A. Reese, a neighbor, and shot him three times.

HUNTSVILLE, November 22.—The temperance revival here resulted in 1,300 signatures to the roll. Capt. D. K. Shields directed the meetings.

BRUNSWICK, November 22.—Anthony Meyer, a farmer, was thrown out of a wagon yesterday and fatally injured.

SPIERING'S GRAND ORCHESTRA
will render the following programme at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the opening of the
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Corner Fourth and Locust:

1. March—"Union"..........Fahrbach
2. Overture—Fra Diavolo..........Auber
3. Waltz—"On the Beautiful Hudson"...Bial
4. Selection—Erminie..........Jacobowsky
5. Concert—"House Polka"..........Bilse
6. Overture—"Light Cavalry"..........Suppe
7. Gretschen—Spinnrade..........Schubert
8. Selection—Nanon..........Genee
9. La Tourturelle..........Ellersberg
10. Galop—"Shooting Star"..........Bial

☞ *Remember the concerts are morning and afternoon. Evening displays abandoned.*

The Trades Display.

The Executive Committee of the Trades Display Association met at Mercantile Club Saturday afternoon, C. C. Rainwater presiding. President Sampson's annual report was read and accepted. It was decided to hold an election for officers December 6. Resolutions of thanks to the President were read and adopetd. An application from the Flambeau Club for storage room was rejected. After brief speeches by Messrs. Sampson and Rainwater, the Committee adjourned.

IF your stove or range does not bake or roast satisfactorily see how it can be improved by the wire gauze oven door. No. 411 North Fourth street.

A SCHEME THAT WON'T WORK!

We heard of a man yesterday who tried to keep himself warm by immersing his thermometer in a basin of hot water and watching the mercury rise to the hundred notch. This is all very well as a matter of theory, but solid comfort and common sense demand a good warm

OVERCOAT.

We have them in stock for men and Youths from $5 up to $45; for Boys, $3.50 to $25; for Children, $2.50 to $15.

☞ *We had a big run on Men's and Youths' Suits last week, our Special Sale of manufacturers' goods recently closed out by Famous at 50c on the dollar proving a bonanza for close buyers that bought them in at a lively rate. We mention four lines we want you to see, viz.: Our $9.65, $11.65, $13.65 and $16.65, the actual values on these Suits being from $15 to $25. You'll regret it if you fail to take advantage of this Special Sale. We also mention in the same lot substantial Workingmen's Suits at $4.65 and $7.65 that are No. 1 bargains, worth from* $7.50 *to* $10. *Don't fail to look at our great line of Boys' Knee-Pant Suits (all wool) at* $3.50, $4.50 *and* $5.00.

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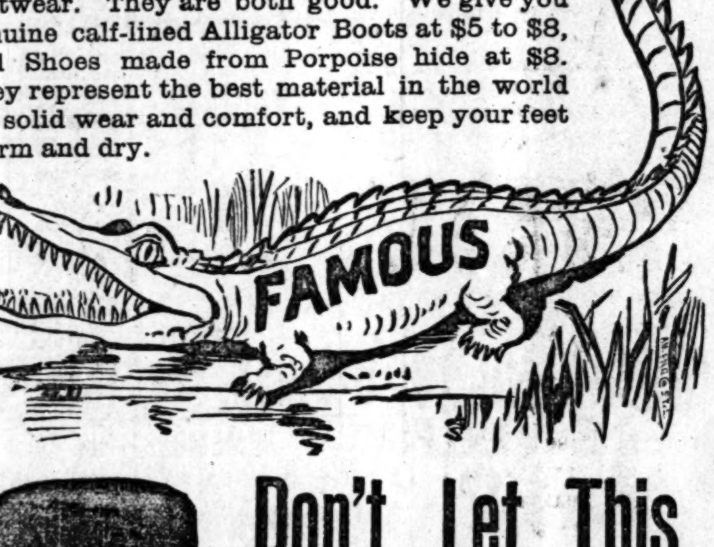
Now between the Alligator and North Sea Porpoise as to whose skin makes the best winter footwear. They are both good. We give you genuine calf-lined Alligator Boots at $5 to $8, and Shoes made from Porpoise hide at $8. They represent the best material in the world for solid wear and comfort, and keep your feet warm and dry.



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DAVITT'S DANGER.

Alleged Conspiracy of the Revolutionary Faction to Murder Him.

NEW YORK, November 22.—The Herald says: The startling announcement mentioned in a special from Detroit, Mich., to the effect that there was a conspiracy on foot to kill Michael Davitt because of his opposition to the measures proposed by revolutionary Irishmen created considerable comment in Irish-American circles in this city. The threats against the life of the one-armed patriot were talked over yesterday at the meetings of several branches of the Irish National League. The general belief was that there was some foundation for the rumor, and many of Mr. Davitt's friends admitted that they would not be surprised to hear of his assassination in the West. There appeared to be a strange reluctance among men who have heretofore courted newspaper notoriety to say anything about the matter for publication. To them it seemed to be dangerous ground and all were anxious not to have their names mentioned either as friends or enemies of Mr. Davitt.

ROSSA'S STATEMENT.

Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa, the reputed head of the extreme Irish revolutionary faction in this country, was seen last evening by a reporter at his home in East New York. His response to an inquiry concerning the alleged threats against Davitt was the production of the advance copy of his comments upon the telegram which he had written for this week's United Irishman. They ran as follows: "We read that telegram in the New York papers. It is a false telegram in all that it speaks of O'Donovan Rossa. It is a lie. The gentleman spoken of is beneath official notice. He knows the work he is doing, and he knows what prompts him to do it. Perhaps he realizes what he is deserving of from the Irish people. He wanted notoriety to enhance the value of his services in the estimation of his employers. It is that which gives rise to such a rumor as the above."

This was all the dynamite chieftain had to say on the subject, and no amount of questioning would induce him to tell anything further. Brief as was Rossa's comment, its tone was significant. While the members of the Irish National League in this city were not inclined to talk about Davitt or his affairs, a fair idea of the trouble was, however, gleaned from other and reliable sources. According to this story, it seems that Mr. Davitt, when he denounced the Phœnix Park (Dublin) removals, four years ago, became involved with former friends. Since then

THE "GAP" HAS BEEN WIDENING

and the suspicion has gone forth that he could not be relied upon, and that he had become mysteriously wealthy. These stories, whether true or false, had a bad effect, and in the Western country where they were widely circulated Mr. Davitt has been badly received in several places. The circulation of a story which found its way into the newspapers, stating that he was constantly shadowed by English detectives, who were taking notes of his speeches ostensibly to use against him when he returned to Ireland, has been looked upon as a sort of deception. These and other little circumstances which have found their way into print, have tended to create a feeling of a serious nature against Mr. Davitt. Then it was also remarked that he had become a more pronounced advocate of parliamentary methods than even Parnell, and this was certainly a strange change for a man who had always before been looked upon as an extremist.

While Davitt was love-making at Oakland, Cal., and was capturing the heart of an heiress, he did not offend any one, but when he mounted the lecture platform and denounced "deeds of desperation" on more than one occasion he was hissed. At Helena, Mont., quite recently, he came near being mobbed, and in Nebraska the trouble was aggravated. In the Irish papers communications couched in such violent language as this have since appeared: "Isn't it too bad how these tricksters are treating our people?

I MEAN PARNELL, DAVITT, ETC.,

and the Parliamentary traitors. Now the people of Ireland have got to either starve or fight, and our constitutional traitors have spent all the money in London that should have bought corn meal to keep the people alive. Still the traitors want more. Finnerty missed a good chance to rise in the ladder of fame. If he got Davitt, Redmond, etc., tarred and feathered in Chicago, and at the same time declared the sentiments of the Irish American people, he would be the Washington of Ireland and would have a monument to his memory."

Concerning Mr. Davitt's experience at Helena the following from a letter published in the United Irishman of November 13 tells the story: That cowardly impostor, Davitt, has been through this Territory the past week, in Helena and Butte City. In Helena two brothers were there and made it a point to call and see him. They asked him what authority he is assuming to come and dictate to them. His answer was, "The authority of the Irish people." Cook City man told him, "You're a liar, Davitt." Read Davitt's lecture in Helena. Ireland ought to hang her head with shame depicted as a nation of beggars and cowards before the world. My opinion is this: These fellows ought to be for the good of Ireland and in honor of her former patriotism and martyrs because they are instrumental in making cowards of the present generation, and more particularly of the coming generations.

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Fell Into a Culvert.

As John Moraghan was running down the Missouri Pacific track to the Cheltenham depot to catch a train last evening at 6:30 o'clock he fell into a culvert, striking his head against the wall and receiving a severe gash over the left temple and was rendered unconscious for some time. Dr. Gratiot, who examined him said he had received a slight fracture of the skull. Moraghan was taken to the Sisters' Hospital on Grand avenue and Montgomery street.

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PLUCKY MAUDE MELVILLE.

The Daughter of the Arctic Explorer Preparing for Her Musical Debut.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, November 22.—In her plainly furnished but cheerful little parlor on Woodvale avenue, Wissahocken, Mrs. Melville, the widow of the arctic explorer, yesterday, surrounded by her six children, freely but anxiously discussed the prospects of her eldest daughter Maude, who is about to prepare herself to enter the field of professional singing. Miss Melville is a characteristic and intelligent young lady of 19 years old, and is possessed of a handsome figure and graceful and dignified bearing. Her features are regular and in her face is plainly displayed that spirit of determination that caused her to leave her father's protection to share her mother's fortune. Though surrounded in childhood by comparative luxury, she has cheerfully assumed the task of aiding her mother in the support and education of her younger sisters, uncomplainingly toiling through many a long and weary day at her place of employment and then making her home bright with her cheerful voice and untiring energy.

"Maud has never complained," said Mrs. Melville, "and she has been the source of comfort to me in many a trying hour." Miss Melville has a pure, high soprano voice of great flexibility, but she has been unable to continue under the proper instruction necessary to fully develop it. Not to be overcome by such obstacles, however, and being too independent to seek the assistance of some wealthy patrons, she had made arrangements for giving a concert at St. George's Hall for the purpose of raising funds to continue her musical education. The concert takes place on the evening of December 14, and Miss Melville has already secured such assistance, both amateur and professional, as promises to make the affair one of the musical events of the season.

"I do not wish it to be understood," she said, "that I intend preparing myself for the operatic stage. I have no ambition to attain celebrity or notoriety. I merely wish to secure the means of earning a modest living by church and concert singing so that I can be independent and a means of greater comfort to my mother and sisters."

A feature of the concert will be a piano solo by Miss Elsie Melville who is 13 years old and who will render a selection of her own composition. Miss Elsie is an easy, graceful performer and skillfully plays the most difficult arrangements of the great composers. She has a good contralto voice and will sing a number of duets with her younger sister, Meta, a bright little miss of 11 years. Little Meta has a wonderfully powerful voice for a child, and is a quick reader of music. Wherever she and her sister Elsie have appeared in public, they have been highly commended by the critics and professional musicians. Mrs. Melville regarded her children with all the motherly affection and pride yesterday, as they discussed the approaching concert, and Miss Maude's face glowed with enthusiasm.

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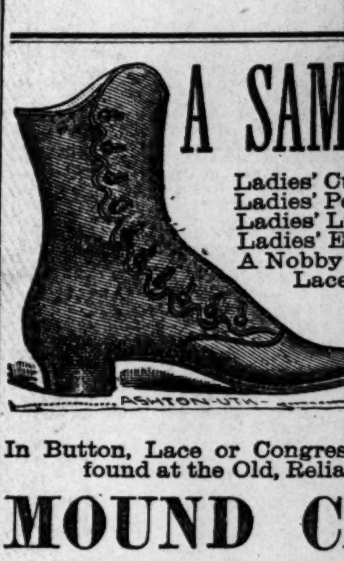

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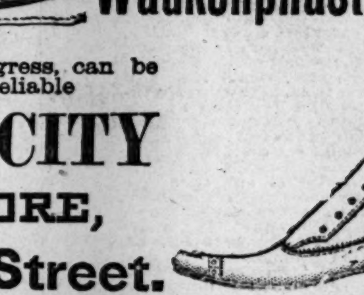

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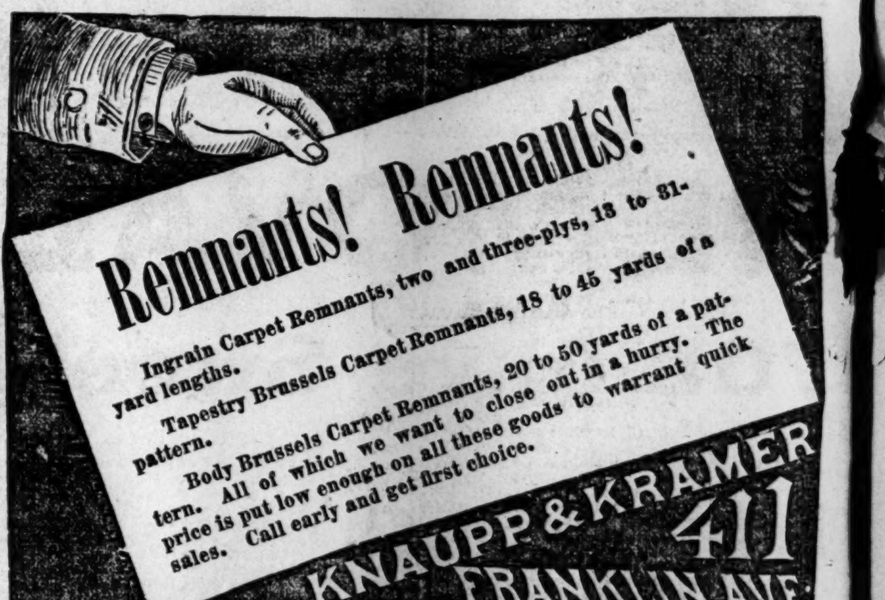

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POST-OFFICE REPORT.

The Postmaster-General Submits His Annual—The Signal Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—In his annual report Postmaster-General Vilas says that on October 1 the post-offices numbered 54,157. Money order offices and stations reached 7,863. Appointments of postmasters during the year numbered 22,747, of which 9,566 filled vacancies caused by removals. Previous removals were as follows: 1883, 705; 1884, 513; 1885, 810. By the new appointments it has been discovered that many of the former fourth-class postmasters were guilty of swelling the cancellation amounts and thus increasing their commissions. There were 181 free delivery offices last June. The report advocates the establishment of a separate corps of collection carriers to relieve the present carrier force. The entire amount of fees received from the money order system was $1,214,506.38, less by $2,869.60 than the previous year. Out of the $114,000,000 in money orders only $619.78 were improperly paid. In regard to special delivery service 1,118,820 letters were received at the 555 offices. The gross profits were $27,007.58. The rapidity and value of this service are spoken of. On October 1 last the service went into effect at all offices on all classes of matter. The railway mail service handled 5,329,521,475 pieces of ordinary mail matter in the year. The report urges the bestowal of a pension on veteran mail clerks. The Transatlantic service is pronounced the finest on the seas. In finances the expenses have been kept below $51,000,000, and the deficit within that of the previous year, in spite of the lowering of the postal charges. The number of registered letters increased 4.8 per cent. During the year 600 persons were arrested for violating the postal laws, of whom 417 were outside of the service. The report recommends the establishment of the office of Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General.

THE SIGNAL SERVICE.

Chief Signal Officer Hazen in his annual report laments the discontinuance of Fort Meyer as a post of instruction. He speaks in the highest terms of the success of the forecasts. In 290 cities and towns the cold wave signal is displayed, and 20,000 stations, all told, are supplied daily with information. He asks for an appropriation of $5,000 to extend the service and $10,000 for furnishing flags, etc., to the volunteer stations. The State weather service is highly praised.

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The M. E. Anniversary.

The Methodist anniversary celebration came to a close yesterday. The visiting ministers officiated in the morning in the several local pulpits as announced in the POST-DISPATCH, and were all greeted with large audiences. In the afternoon the Tract Society jubilee was held at Union Church, Bishop Bowman presiding. Addresses were made by Dr. Freeman, Dr. Cox and Dr. King. The latter made the address of the meeting and startled his hearers by interjecting into his remarks some high praise of Henry George whom he called a pronounced Christian man. In the evening the Sunday-school anniversary exercises were held at Union, Goode Avenue, Trinity, Salem, and Eliot Avenue. At Union addresses were made by Drs. Gillet and Hurlburt.

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Denison's Docket.

Judge Denison of the Second District Police Court this morning disposed of forty-nine cases. Robt. Hoffman was fined $25 for knocking down Wm. Mason, a North St. Louis grocer, with a stone and Thos. Waufee was fined $5 for lounging on the street corners. Jacob Kuttner, for an indecent exposure of his person, was fined $50.

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